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FRACAS ON U. S. STEAMER.

CREW'S QUARREL WITH CAPTAIN.

REVOLVER SHOTS FIRED DURING MELEE.

TWO HOSPITAL CASES.

A sensational incident occurred yesterday on board the s.s. David C. Reed, as a result of which two members of the ship's crew were sent to the Government Civil Hospital and three others were detained by the police.

At the time the incident occurred, the ship was discharging crude oil at the A.P.C. Wharf at North Point. Certain members of the crew got out of hand, and, in an attempt to control them, the master (Captain Krishnan) was compelled to make use of his revolver, discharging it, it is believed, two or three shots.

From first-hand information, gathered by a Telegraph reporter, it is learned that the David C. Reed sailed from Mobile, Alabama, to San Pedro, where a cargo of oil was loaded for Hongkong.

Money Wanted.

The voyage occupied fifty-four days and when the crew arrived at Hongkong yesterday morning, they asked the Captain for their pay with which to get ashore.

The Captain is alleged to have replied that he could not get any money for the crew, as the agents had not made any allowance for them.

Some of the crew, it is said, were not quite sober when the demand was made on the Captain, and it is alleged that the quarrel first started between the boatswain and the Captain.

Shots Fired.

High words were used and these were followed by blows, whereupon the Captain, realising the attitude of certain members of the crew, drew his revolver and fired three shots.

Whether the shots actually hit anybody is not yet quite clear. Some of the crew were, however, later seen to be bleeding from injuries. The Captain later left his ship to avoid further trouble and a few members of the ship made as if to chase him, but they did not actually do so.

The police were communicated with and the Captain Superintendent, the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G., and a number of officers from the Emergency Squad, quickly left for the scene. A police launch was also dispatched from the Water Police Station. The anxiety on the part of the police was somewhat increased by the fact that the first report to reach them stated that some one on board the steamer had been shot dead.

Armed Guard.

On arrival, the police found that the fracas had already subsided, and after carefully surveying the position they took three of the crew into custody and sent two injured men to the Government Civil Hospital. One of the men was injured in the temple and the other on the knee.

As an additional precaution, an armed guard was left on board the boat and the police launch also stood by.

The official police report of the affair states that Captain Arthur W. Krishnan, master of the s.s. David C. Reed, lying alongside the A.P.C. Wharf at North Point, reported to the police at 4.55 p.m. yesterday that some of his crew had assaulted him and chased him off his ship, threatening to blow up the vessel. Three men were detained and two sent to hospital.

The Injured Men.

The names of the two men sent to hospital, according to the police report, are Hans List Hanson, 30 years of age, and Raymond Jeoffrion, 23 years. They were described as suffering from injuries, caused by being assaulted on board the ship. It is learned that Hanson is a carpenter on

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TIGERS CREATE TERRORISM.

HUMAN VICTIMS TOTAL OVER FOUR HUNDRED.

SWATOW REPORTS.

Further ravages by man-eating tigers in the rocky hill country between Shanghang and Wuping, just over the Fukien border from Kwangtung, are reported by the Telegraph's Swatow correspondent, who states that the victims during the past two or three years are put at no fewer than four hundred.

Recent reports, says our correspondent, describe the whole district as being terrorised. The beasts prey exclusively on human beings, attack in daylight, and, so the story goes, prefer to fall on a group of travellers in order to select their victim.

Considering the value of a tiger to his captors, the fact that this group of animals is allowed immunity from attack shows the fear they have inspired in their hunting grounds. It is said that to hunt them is difficult, for they cover a very wide area some hundred and eighty miles in extent.

A dead tiger is said to be worth as much as \$800 to a Chinese. His bones are ground down to make valuable medicine which gives strength and courage to those who eat it; his heart and liver likewise are sold for medicines; and, of course, the skin is valuable. But no one so far has organised an attack on these beasts whose victims are now put as high as four hundred.

SPANISH PESETA GAMBLING.

HUGE FOREIGN BANK COMBINE TO AID SPAIN.

EXTENSIVE CREDITS.

Madrid, Aug. 7.

The Ministry of Finance officially announces to-day that the leading bankers of London and New York have agreed to extend very considerable credits to the Bank of Spain with a view to facilitating the control of currency exchange.

Full details are not divulged but a big effort is to be made to stabilise the Spanish peseta.

The scheme is backed by a London syndicate, headed by the Midland Bank, and which includes three others of the "Big Five" namely, Barclay's, Lloyd's and the Westminster Banks.

The New York group which is participating, has been organised by Morgan's, and comprises the leading United States banks.

The Spanish Finance Ministry states that the Committee for the control of Exchange, created by the decree of June 25th, 1928, solicited this assistance from abroad with a view to checking international speculation in the peseta.—Reuter.

CAPTAIN COURTNEY'S MACHINE.

PICKED UP DERELICT IN THE ATLANTIC.

New York, Aug. 7.

A wireless message from the Italian steamer "Valprati" on its way from Algeria to Nova Scotia, announced that the vessel has picked up Captain Courtney's Dornier-Napier flying-boat, which was abandoned in the Atlantic last week.

The machine came down and burst into flames, the occupants being rescued by the s.s. Minnesota some hours later. Evidently, the craft remained afloat for four days after the decision to abandon it.—Reuter.

MORE RAIN.

To-day's Observatory report states:—Pressure is high to the N.E. of Japan. A trough of low pressure extends from South China to the East of Bonins. The forecast up to noon to-morrow is: S.W. winds, moderate; fair at first some rain later.

WOMEN'S PLACE IN ATHLETICS.

STARTLING DECISION AT AMSTERDAM.

INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION REDUCES SCHEDULE.

BRITONS LEAD MOVE.

Amsterdam, Aug. 7.

The extent of women's participation in the Olympic Games was the subject of a lively discussion, in which Lady Heath, the famous British airwoman joined, at a meeting of the International Amateur Athletic Federation held to-day.

The feeling was strongly expressed that it was not desirable for women to undertake such strenuous competition, and a proposal was put forward that women's events should be completely eliminated.

Events Modified.

After a spirited discussion, in the course of which Lady Heath made a dramatic appeal for the retention of all the women's events, the I.A.A.F. decided by sixteen votes to six to sanction six events for women in future Olympiads.

THE NANKING INCIDENT NEGOTIATIONS.

Good Progress Being Made at Shanghai.

AGREEMENT IN SIGHT.

London, Aug. 7.

Good progress has been made with the negotiations at Shanghai between the British and Chinese Nationalist authorities for a settlement of the Nanking Incident, when, during occupation by Southern Chinese troops, the British Consulate was attacked.

Agreement is now believed to be within sight.—British Wireless.

A Reuter's message says it is understood that terms have been arrived at, and that it is now merely a question of putting signatures to the document, after which the text of the agreement will be published.

the Hundred Metres Relay, the Four Hundred Metres Relay, the High Jump, the Discus Throw, the Javelin Throw, and the Eighty Metres Hurdles.

The Federation, however, rejected by fourteen votes to eight, the Eight Hundred Metres, Two Hundred Metres, Long Jump, and Shot-putting.

Winning Country Leads.

Curiously enough, the opposition to retention of the women's events was led by Canada, who had done so well in this year's Olympiad to win, scoring 34 points in the women's events as against America's 28.

Canada was strongly supported by the delegates from Great Britain and Ireland.

Dr. (Frau) Bergmann, the Examining Physician of the Berlin women athletes, claimed from her experience that women's participation in competitive athletics was not injurious to health.

The Federation, however, generally agreed that certain events inflicted too serious a strain, and modified the list of events as indicated.

World Records Recognised.

In regard to new records set up during the Games, the Federation decided to recognise four new world records. The new world records accepted are:

4,400 Metres Relay: America.

Time: 3 mins. 14 1/16th seconds.

Putting the Shot: John Kuck (U.S.A.) Distance: 52 feet, 0 11/16th inches.

110 Metres High Hurdles: G. E. Weightman-Smith (South Africa) Time: 14.3/5th seconds.

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TERRIBLE FLYING ACCIDENT.

FAMOUS ITALIAN AIRMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED.

FERRARIN CRASHES.

Captain Arturo Ferrarin and Major Del Prete, the world-famous Italian airmen, who established the world long-distance record last month, in a magnificent non-stop flight of 4,850 miles from Rome to Pernambuco, have been seriously injured in an aeroplane crash at Rio de Janeiro.

Since their memorable feat, the Italian aviators have been in Brazil, where they have been feted in honour of the triumph, and have apparently been giving flying demonstrations. They went up in an aeroplane yesterday, and after a short flight, something suddenly went wrong with the plane, which crashed in sight of hundreds of people, both being taken out of the wrecked machine, terribly injured.

Full details are not yet available, but Reuter's correspondent at Rio de Janeiro, states in a brief message received this morning, that Captain Ferrarin was lifted out of the smashed plane with both legs broken, while his companion, Del Prete has also been taken to hospital, suffering from a fractured jaw and severe injury to his neck.

The injured airmen are not only the holders of the world's long-distance flying records, but some weeks before their triumphant flight, they set up a duration record in Italy, by flying for 58 hours 42 minutes without descent.

Both records were accomplished in the same machine, the Savoia G4, a monoplane which has its engine mounted on top of the plane, instead of being fitted in the usual place in the fuselage.

Del Prete.

Ferrarin.

Reuter.

unusual step is being taken owing to the fact that whereas the students, labourers and militarists are all represented in the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang, the same cannot be said about commerce and industry, which are wholly unrepresented.

The move will have the effect of backing up Mr. T. V. Soong's efforts to have the country's finances unified.—Reuter.

Fifth Plenary Conference.

Canton, Aug. 7.

According to a wireless message received this afternoon from Nanking, the second preliminary meeting of the Fifth Plenary has opened, being attended by 20 Central Executive and eight Supervisory Committee members.

Admiral Yang Shu-chang, who is a non-Committee member, was also present at the meeting, which was presided over by Mr. Yu Yu-jen.

At the meeting it was decided to elect Messrs. Tan Yen-kai, Yu Yu-jen, Tai Chi-tau, Ting Feng and Marshal Chiang Kai-shek to form the Committee of chairman for the coming Conference.

Owing to the holding of the preliminary session, the ordinary meeting of the Nanking National Council, which was scheduled to sit to-day, has been postponed.

"Leftist" Indignant.

Shanghai, Aug. 7.

It appears that Mr. Koo Meng-yu, a well-known C.E.C. member of the "Left" wing, will not attend the Fifth Plenary Session, for, interviewed here by the Chinese Press, he is quoted as saying that as all Kuomintang Committee members are invited, it will be most unreasonable for any political faction to protest against the attendance of members of the "Left" wing.

Danish Minister Entertained.

Shanghai, Aug. 7.

To-morrow the Nanking Foreign Ministry is to give a party in honour of the Danish Minister, who is expected in Nanking to-day.

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A MARK OF ORIGIN FOR TEA?

PROBLEM REFERRED TO COMMITTEE.

London, Aug. 7.

The Board of Trade has referred to the Standing Committee, an application for an Order-in-Council to require marking as an indication of the origin of imported tea.

The Committee will consider whether tea should be marked on sale, on exposure for sale, or on importation.—Reuter.

FOREIGN SECRETARY ORDERED TO REST.

LORD CUSHENDUN TO ACT IN HIS STEAD.

London, Aug. 7.

It is officially announced that Lord Cushendun has been appointed acting Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the temporary absence of Sir Auston Chamberlain, who, as the result of his recent illness, has been ordered a complete rest before resuming his official duties.

Lord Cushendun will replace Sir Auston Chamberlain as chief British representative at meetings of the Assembly of the Council of the League of Nations.—Reuter.

CHINESE BANKERS TO ACT.

BIG DEPUTATION FOR NANKING.

TO MAKE FINANCE DEMANDS ON KUOMINTANG.

CLAIMS OF COMMERCE.

Shanghai, Aug. 8.

About a hundred Chinese merchants and bankers, representing the Shanghai, Nantao and Chapel Chambers of Commerce, the Bankers' Association, and about sixty Guilds, the party being headed by Mr. Yu Yah-ching, is leaving for Nanking this week to place certain demands before the Fifth Plenary Session of the Kuomintang.

The demands will include:

The unification of the National finances;

The disbandment of all troops with the exception of a certain number for national defence;

The establishment at the earliest possible moment of a national budget; and

The exercise of tariff autonomy.

It is understood that this most

Huge Packing Store Completely Destroyed.

MANY LAKHS DAMAGE.

Singapore, Aug. 8.

A fire has completely destroyed a huge packing store distributing centre for shoes, rubber products, etc., owned by the well-known Chinese millionaire, Tan Kah-koo.

It is estimated that the damage totals many hundred thousand dollars.

There were no fatalities.—Reuter.

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ITALIAN NAVAL DISASTER.

SUBMARINE RAISED AFTER 34 HOURS' EFFORT.

ENTIRE CREW DEAD.

In spite of almost frantic efforts to rescue the crew of the Italian submarine F14, who were carried down into twenty fathoms of water with the craft, when it was rammed and sunk in the Adriatic off Brion Island on Monday, news received from Rome this morning is to the effect that the entire crew is dead.

At one time it was thought possible that the rescue operations might succeed, an early Reuter's message stating that the destroyer Aquila had succeeded in installing a tube to supply air to the submarine and in fastening a steel cable to the hull. It was also stated that communication was being maintained with the crew.

This morning's Reuter's message from Rome, however, states that as the result of frantic and unremitting toil, salvagers managed to raise the submarine F14 after 34 hours submersion.

When the conning tower was opened, however, it was found that the entire crew of thirty-one was dead, all having been asphyxiated.

The submarine was sunk by coming to the surface under the bows of the Italian destroyer Misori, the stern being badly damaged, and causing it to sink immediately.

NOBLE AND ITALIA EXPEDITION.

GREAT SCIENTIFIC RESULTS CLAIMED.

INTERVIEW AT ROME.

Rome, Aug. 7.

General Nobile, the leader of the ill-fated Polar expedition of the Italian dirigible "Italia", in an interview with Press representatives at Rome to-day, declared that the expedition had great scientific results of definite value.

All the material collected on the first flight to the Pole had been saved.

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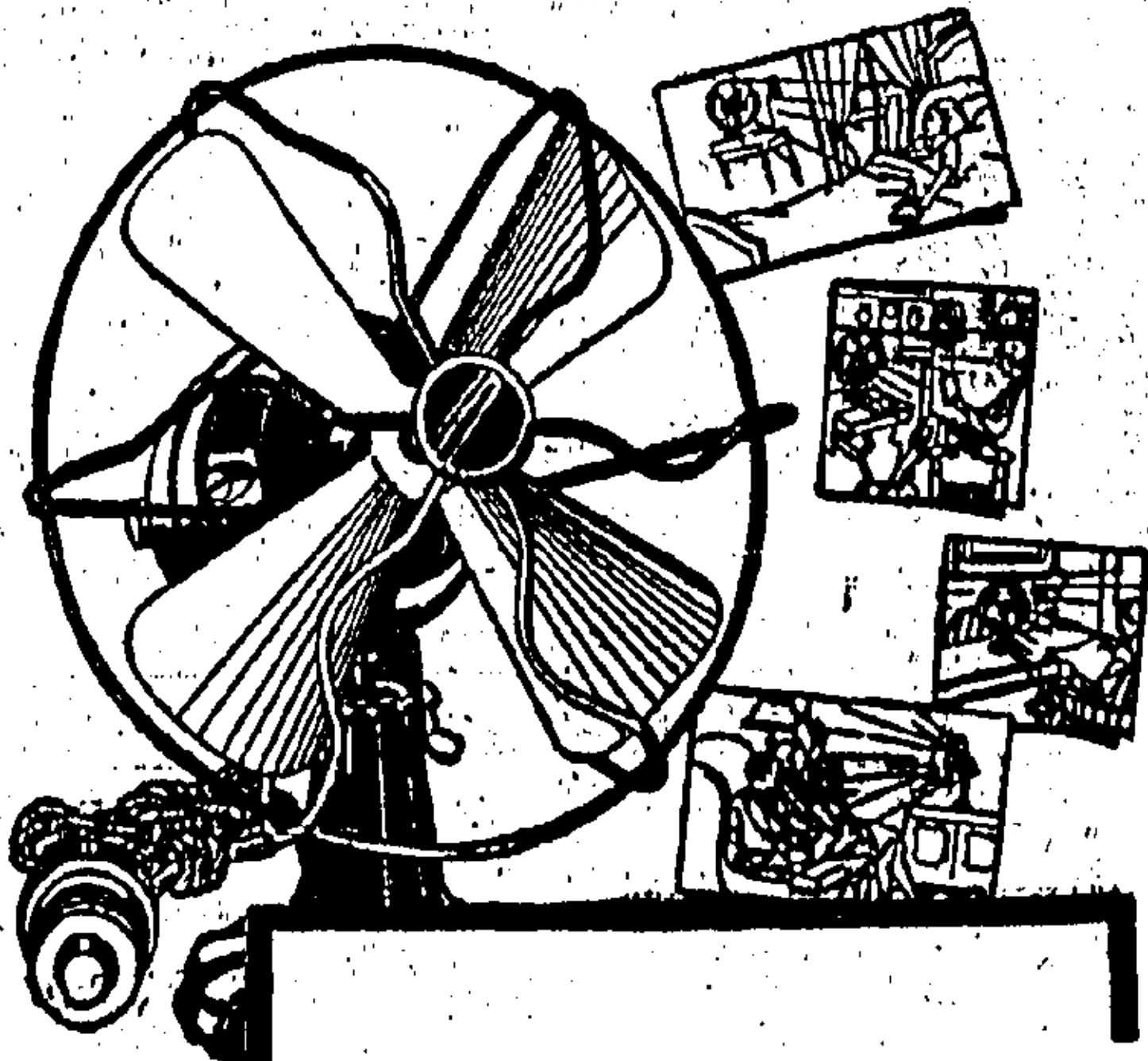
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WATER SHORTAGE.

A FULL SUPPLY FROM TO-MORROW.

Residents of the Central and Western districts will be interested to learn that at yesterday's meeting of the Sanitary Board the Chairman, Mr. W. J. Carr, in answer to certain questions relating to the present water restrictions, indicated that it is hoped to give a full supply to the Central and Western districts from to-morrow morning.

In making the announcement, the chairman remarked that the rain which had fallen this last week-end had again been disappointing and unevenly distributed.

There were present at the meeting, besides the Chairman, Dr. G. W. Pope, (Medical Officer of Health), the Hon. Mr. H. T. Greasy, (Director of Public Works), Mr. J. P. Braga, Lt. Col. J. S. Boscock, Dr. S. W. Tso, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, Dr. S. C. Ho and Mr. J. Watson (Secretary to the Board).

The questions, as put by Dr. S. W. Tso and the answers by the Head of Sanitary Department are given below:

Q: (1) "Are the following statements as appeared in the Chinese newspapers, purporting to be made by the Water Authority in explanation of the condition of water supply in the Central and Western districts, correct? namely: that the full capacity of Pokfulam Reservoir which supplies the Central and Western districts is sixty-six million gallons, out of which five million gallons are useless;

A: The questions have been referred to Government and I am authorised to make the following replies:—Yes, the full capacity of Pokfulam Reservoir is 66 million gallons, but water from Pokfulam is usually supplied to the Central District.

Q: That 20 days before the restriction on water supply in the Central districts commenced Pokfulam Reservoir was full to overflow;

A: Restriction was not imposed until 37 days after Pokfulam Reservoir had ceased to be full.

Daily Consumption.

Q: That, on full supply, the Central and Western districts consume three million gallons daily.

A: The figure given is incorrect. On full supply, immediately prior to the present restriction, the Central and Western Districts were consuming approximately 9.5 million gallons a day and on restricted supply approximately 7.2 million gallons are being used.

Q: That the Tylam Reservoir can give a supply of eight million gallons a day.

A: Tylam and Tylam Tuk Reservoirs could at present supply 8 million gallons a day, but the Bowen Road Conduit is only designed to carry 7 million gallons a day. Of this only 1.9 million gallons can be passed to the Elliott Filter Beds in the Western District. 2.9 million gallons pass through the Albany Filter Beds and 2.2 through the Bowen Road Filter to the Central District. These figures are of course approximate.

Q: That during the period of restriction the Pokfulam Reservoir supplies to the Central and Western districts 750,000 gallons per day and the Tylam Reservoir 1,750,000 gallons; making a total supply of 2,500,000 gallons per day.

A: During the period of restriction Pokfulam Reservoir

LIMEWASHING PUMP.

DEVICE WHICH CAN BE WORKED BY ONE MAN.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board held yesterday, the Chairman (Mr. W. J. Carr) announced that the question of limewashing for next year had come up again. The Board had received a new type of pump called the Solo Pump which could be worked by one man.

The Chairman stated that one of the objections to the old pump which needed the service of one man to pump and one to hold the spray was that when the order to stop the pump was given there was a certain amount of delay which led to some of the whitewash dripping on the floor. With the Solo Pump, the stop could be effected at any time. The spray was finer and the Chairman added that there would be much less "mess."

At the present moment, they had only one Solo Pump so far, but more would be here when the limewashing season started in October. He moved that limewashing be taken up departmentally and that the price be at \$3.84 a flat.

Dr. Pope seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Dr. S. W. Tso, prior to the adoption of the motion, mentioned that the Board might direct such inspectors as were in charge of limewashing to see that the top floors were limewashed first in all cases and that the roof be sprayed before the walls, so as to avoid as much dripping as possible.

The Chairman remarked that he thought that had been the practice in the past and assured Dr. Tso that in any case he would see that the latter's suggestions were carried out.

Is supplying only 500,000 gallons a day; this, with the supply from Tylam and Tylam Tuk, makes 2,400,000 gallons for the Western Districts. The Central District gets approximately a further 5 million gallons.

Water Pressure.

Q: That the force of the water from the Tylam Reservoir to the Central and Western districts is weak because the supplying pipe to these districts is small; and because every one draws water at the same time during the hour of supply the water cannot be forced up to the upper floors of the houses in the rider-main districts.

A: The water passed to the Elliott Filter Beds to supplement the Pokfulam supply is less than it could be if the Bowen Road Conduit was bigger and the pipe line extension beyond the Albany Filter Beds larger, but the maximum amount possible is being delivered. The pressure in the filtered water mains is weakened by the heavy drain caused by the simultaneous opening of taps in all the houses of a district.

Q: That the difference in rainfall between the Tylam area and the Pokfulam area is that while Tylam gets 8.85 inches Pokfulam gets only 3.35 inches.

A: The comparative rainfall quoted represents the figures for one day only. It is, however, a fact that during the recent shortage rainfall at Pokfulam has been considerably less than the rainfall at Tylam.

Q: If the above statements are correctly reported the difference on full supply and restricted supply in these two districts is only 500,000 gallons per day. What is reason or cause therefore that the Tylam Reservoir could not

DISPUTE OVER \$100.

PLAINTIFF SUCCEED IN SUMMARY COURT.

"It is a peculiar thing that people always think that they owe people less than they do, and think that people owe them more than they do," remarked Mr. C. A. S. Russ in the Summary Court yesterday during the hearing of a claim for \$438.78. The plaintiff, Mr. Keats, sued Sun Kam-kee for that amount in respect of goods sold and delivered. Mr. Russ was for the plaintiff, the defendant being present in person.

Mr. Russ said that the only dispute was with regard to the sum of \$100 which the defendant alleged he had paid to the plaintiff which sum had not been entered in the books. The plaintiff's books were perfectly clear on the matter. Mr. Russ continued. The account ran from March 29, 1927, until March, this year, when the last payment was made.

The total value of goods supplied was \$6,602.18 and the total sum paid by the defendant was \$5,168.40, leaving the balance claimed. Mr. Russ added it was nearly certain that the dispute arose over two payments of \$50 each, one on March 5 and another on March 13, this year. Those amounts totalled \$100 and if that was the sum the defendant stated he had paid and which had not been entered, it had, in fact, been duly recorded.

The defendant produced books which he professed to be unable to read, saying that another man kept the books for him. He had, however, left as the shop had been closed. He admitted that he owed some \$300 odd but said he was not sure.

His Lordship asked the defendant why, if he was not sure of the amount he owed, did he dispute the claims.

Defendant replied that he was told the debt was about \$300.

His Lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff.

give these two districts an additional 500,000 gallons a day in order to keep them on full supply?

A: It will be seen from the above detailed replies that the difference between full and restricted supply in the Central and Western Districts is approximately 2.3 million gallons a day. During the present restriction, owing to shortage at Pokfulam, which normally supplies up to 3 million gallons a day, only 500,000 gallons are being delivered. Every effort has been and is being made to supply the deficiency from Tylam and Tylam Tuk Reservoirs and the maximum amounts (1.9 million gallons) which the Conduit and pipeline will carry, have been passed to the Western District.

Q: What are the measures, temporary or otherwise, taken by the Government to deal with shortage of water supply to these two most populous districts during the hot season?

A: The above replies show the temporary measures that have been taken to deal with the shortage of water supply which is mainly felt in the Western District. Plans for Waterworks extension both on the island and on the Mainland are under consideration and it is hoped that a decision on the programme of works will be made at an early date.

Full Supply To-morrow.

In addition to the above answers, the Chairman also made the following statement:—"The rain which has fallen this last week-end has again been disappointing and unevenly distributed. It is hoped, however, to give a full supply to the Central and Western Districts on Thursday morning, the 9th August."



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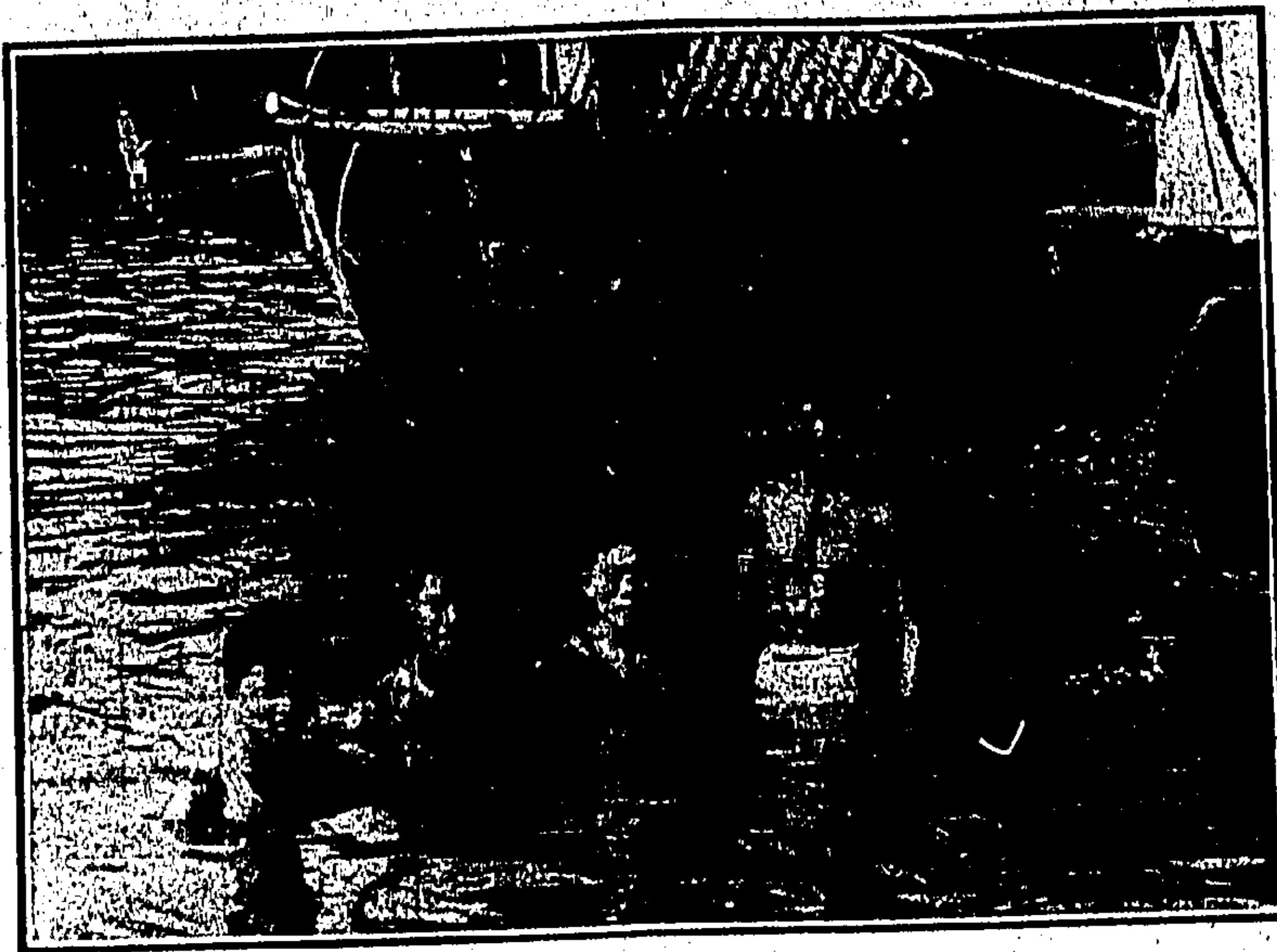
Bonbon Uses Horse Sense

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Frontier Force, one of the outstanding Shanghai greyhounds, who won the July Hurdle Cup, presented by Mrs. W. R. McBain. The owner, Mr. W. H. Chen, is on the right, and Mr. G. McKay, the trainer, on left.



A dip in the muddy water of the Soochow creek may not strike the fastidious as a means of keeping cool, but it has its appeal for the street urchin when the mercury hovers above 90 deg.



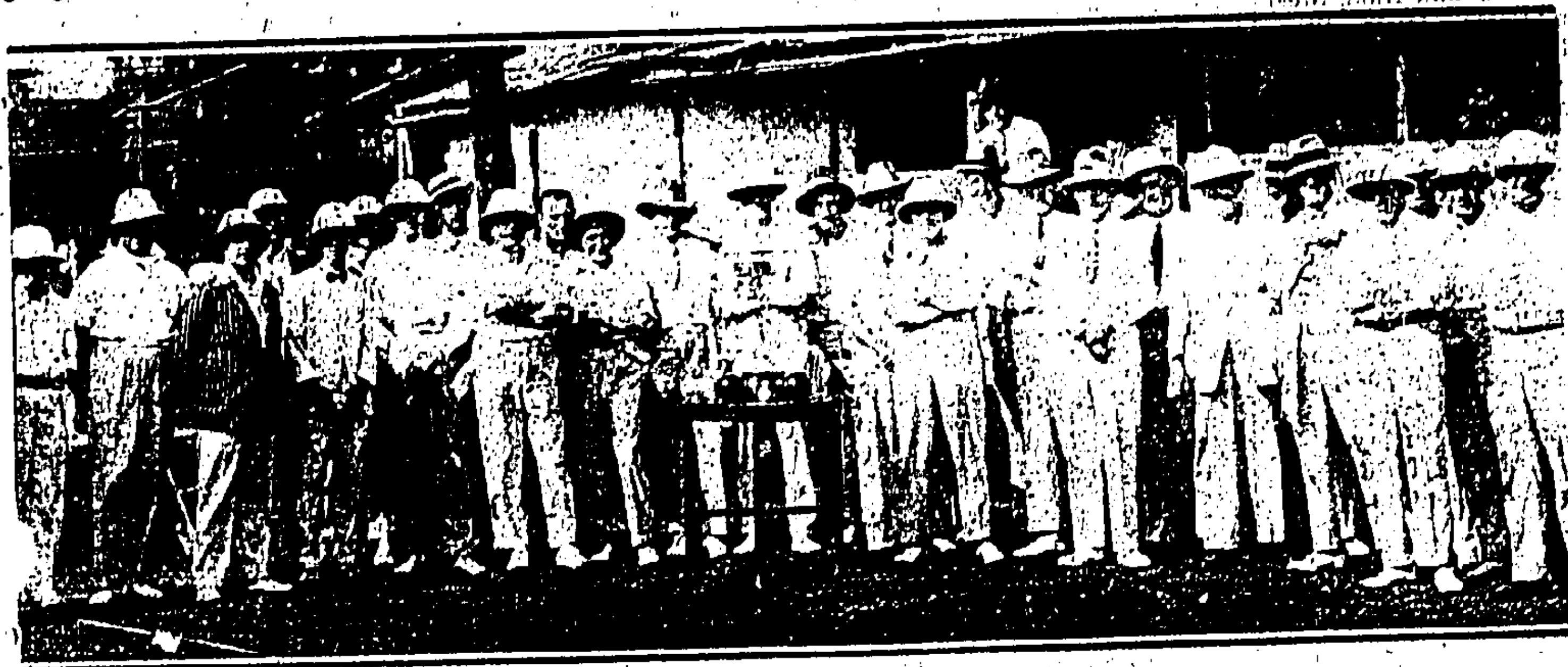
A fine action snap of players on the Shanghai Polo Club's ground in action in a practice chukker. Some good polo is to be seen in Shanghai almost every day.



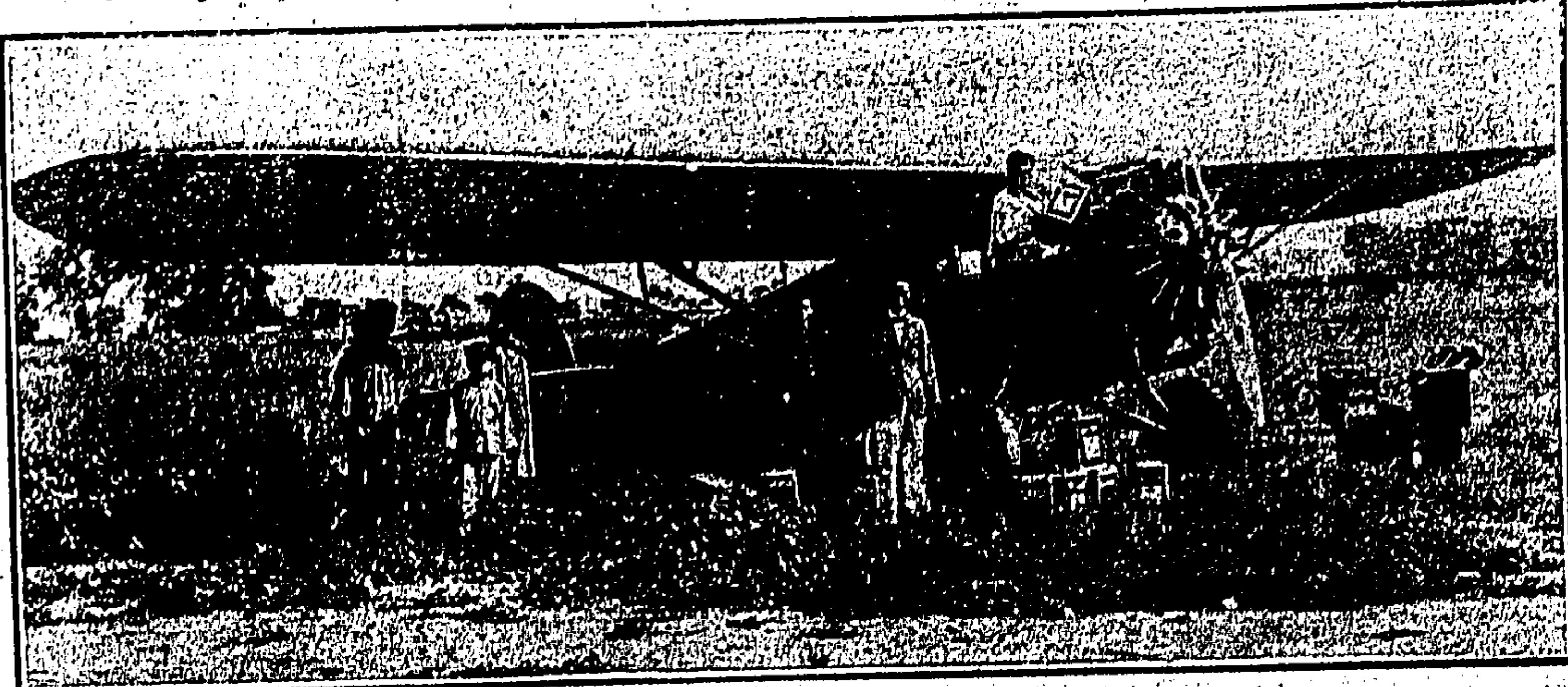
A happy group of spectators at the final of the Shanghai "Mercury" Cup lawn bowls tournament, which was played on the grounds of the S. L. B. C. and resulted in a win for the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club.



A ricksha coolie quaffing a cup of tea at one of the roadside tea urns found at frequent intervals which kindly disposed Chinese keep filled throughout the hot summer weather.



A group of the players from the Shanghai Recreation Club and the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club who met in the final of the "Mercury" Cup competition. The cup is one of the most coveted trophies in the Shanghai lawn bowls world.



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The above photos shows Capt. Frank Courtney, the British airman (top) who was wrecked last week in the Atlantic in an attempt to fly to Nova Scotia from Spain. Bottom is Mr. E. B. Hosmer, a Canadian millionaire who backed the project and travelled as passenger.

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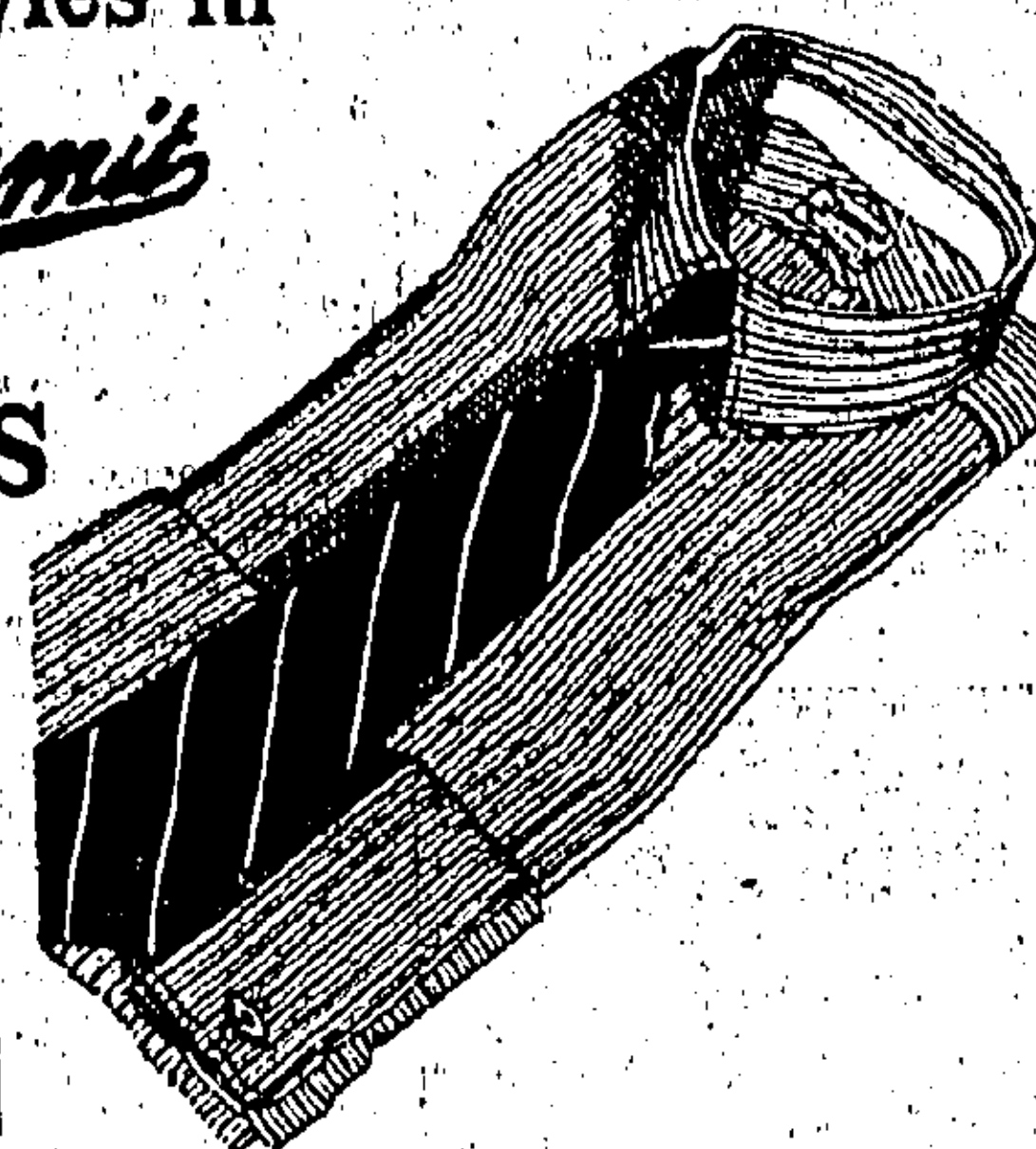
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West bound traffic will be diverted by way of Queen's Road Central and Wardley Street.

E. D. C. WOLFE,
Capt. Supt. of Police.

G. R.

NOTICE.

HONG KONG WATERWORKS.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that on and after Thursday, the 9th instant, A CONSTANT SUPPLY OF WATER will be turned on in ALL RIDER MAIN DISTRICTS.

HAROLD T. CREASY,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department,
Hong Kong, 7th August, 1928.

G. R.

Particulars and Conditions of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 13th of August, 1928, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mong Kok Tsui in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

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Lot 8	Lot 8	Lot 8	Lot 8
Lot 9	Lot 9	Lot 9	Lot 9
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HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

A Farewell Tiffin is being given to Mr. A. K. Henderson at the Hongkong Hotel, on Wednesday, 15th August, 1928.

Members who intend being present are requested to advise the undersigned as early as possible.

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2—You can change only one letter at a time.

3—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4—The order of letters cannot be changed.

One solution is printed on another page of this issue.

Dr. Henry Brierley, who has served for 40 years as County Court Registrar at Wigan has retired in his 82th year.

CHINESE BANKERS TO ACT.

(Continued from Page 1.)

"Ironside's" Destiny.

Shanghai, Aug. 7. According to Nanking messages, it seems fairly certain that the "Ironside" troops of the Nationalist Army will soon be dispersed, in accordance with Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's general troop disbandment scheme.

Last November the "Ironside" turned out and disarmed all the troops of Marshal Li Chai-sum, and occupied Canton city. Later, defeated and forced out of Kwangtung, the whole "Ironside" corps joined Marshal Chiang Kai-shek and played quite a prominent part in the operations against the Northerners.

General Mow Pei-nam, the chief leader of the corps, to-day held a meeting with his subordinates and announced that he had received instruction to disperse the troops in the near future.

"Leftists" Arrive.

Shanghai, Aug. 8. Wong Fah-ching, Chen Shu-jen, Wong Loh-ping, Pan Yung-shao, and Mrs. Liao Chung-kai, members of the Cantonese clique, have arrived at Nanking.

It is stated that the Fifth Plenary Session will be opened this morning.—Reuter.

Dismissed General.

Shanghai, Aug. 7.

The three sons of General Cheng Chien, late of Hunan, who was dismissed and imprisoned by order of the Nanking Government, has petitioned the Committee members of the Central Executive Council in Nanking, craving it to restore freedom to General Cheng, who appears to be still a prisoner in Shanghai under the surveillance of the Government.

Manchurian Question.

Shanghai, Aug. 7.

On Sunday, General Chang Hsueh-liang telegraphed to General Pei Chung-hsi, the Nationalist leader, stating that he will not be an obstacle to the unification of China, but there are problems pertaining to the dispersal of the remnants of the Northern troops and to political issues in the Three Eastern Provinces, the solution of which should be made before the official announcement of Manchuria's adherence to Nationalist control.

WOMEN'S PLACE IN ATHLETICS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Decathlon: Yrjölä (Finland) 8053.29 points.

The Federation further decided that swimming and broken hurdles should be regarded as having been knocked down, while a resolution was passed declaring doping to be illegal.

More Record Breaking.

In to-day's swimming events, two world and one Olympic records were broken.

In the Hundred Metres Back stroke (Men) an American competitor knocked 2 1/5th seconds off the previous best, which was 1 min. 11 2/5th secs. by W. Lauer, U.S.A. in 1926. To-day Kojae, U.S.A. did 1 min. 9 1/5th secs.

Fraulein Schrader (Germany) beat the women's world record for the 200 Metres Breaststroke, while Tsuruta (Japan) beat the Olympic record for the same event for men.

Tsuruta bettered his own time in a previous heat, by completing the distance in 2 mins. 49 1/5th seconds.

Fraulein Schrader swam magnificently to win her heat in 3 mins. 11 3/5th seconds, which narrowly bettered the previous world record.

A Cycling Classic.

The cycling race, to Scheveningen, the Dutch watering-place, and back to Amsterdam, a distance of 165 Kilometres, resulted as follows:

Team performances (three riders):—

Denmark 1
Time: 15 hours, 9 mins. 14 seconds.

Britain 2
Time: 15 hours, 14 mins. 3 seconds.

Italy 3
Time: 13 hours, 32 minutes.

Individual performances:—
Hansen (Denmark) 1
Time: 4 hrs. 47 mins. 18 secs.

Southall (Britain) 2
Time: 5 hours, 17 seconds.

Grandi (Italy) 3
Time: 5 hours, 2 mins. 5 seconds.

Lauterwasser (Britain) 4
Time: 5 hrs. 2 min. 57 secs.—Reuter.

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CLAIM FOR BROKERAGE DISMISSED.

Messrs. John Manners and Co., Ltd., were defendants in the Summary Court this morning, before Mr. Justice Jackson, when they were sued by Lo Sik-nam, broker, for \$655 stated to be due through transactions which plaintiff had put through. Mr. A. E. Hall was for the plaintiff and Mr. H. C. Macnamara defended.

The plaintiff stated that an agreement was made between the defendants and the Kai Tai-yuen, firm, sandalwood dealers, by which the plaintiff was appointed broker in connexion with sandalwood transactions. On completed deals he said he was to be paid 1/2 per cent.

Plaintiff called a witness from the Kai Tai-yuen firm on subpoena, who stated that there had been five or six transactions with the defendant and they were all done through the plaintiff. Witness stated that the transactions were not through Mr. Manners, Mr. Taylor, or the compadore.

Mr. F. Taylor, a director of Messrs. John Manners, gave evidence to the effect that he knew the plaintiff as an outside broker who dealt in sundries. He denied that Manners and Co. had dealt with the plaintiff, and said that they put his name on the contract merely because the Kai Tai-yuen requested it. All transactions were through the compadore.

Evidence was also given by Mr. John Manners, permanent director of Messrs. John Manners, and Mr. Fung Tso, the compadore, both of whom testified that the plaintiff did not act as broker and stated that the transactions were done through Mr. Fung Tso.

On the conclusion of the evidence Mr. Macnamara said that too much weight had been attached to the agreement, the validity of which was recognised by the defendants who were willing to pay. They would, however, only pay a broker who had taken a distinct and active part in the transactions. Mr. Macnamara submitted that his clients had acted with scrupulous care to ascertain whether any brokerage was due to the plaintiff or not.

Mr. Hall spoke on the value of the documents produced, and attached importance to a letter from the Kai Tai-yuen firm to Messrs. John Manners and Company which he said, confirmed the plaintiff's claim. Mr. Hall also pointed out that the defendants did not deny the claim before the action was commenced.

In summing up his Lordship said that in such cases the onus was on the plaintiff to prove his case up to hilt and he (his Lordship) did not think that the plaintiff had discharged that onus in the present case. He would therefore give judgment for the defendants with costs.

NEW TO THE PORT.

THE "HEIDELBERG" ARRIVES HERE.

A newcomer to the port appearing in this morning's returns, was the s.s. Heidelberg of the Hamburg Amerika Line, from Europe.

She was formerly the s.s. Duisburg, owned by the Cosmas Linien, but when that organisation was taken over by the Stinnes interests, the vessel came under the H.A.L. flag and she was then renamed.

The Heidelberg is a vessel of 6,529 gross tonnage and 3,800 net tonnage, built by the Vulkan Werke at Hamburg in 1925. Her dimensions are:—

Length, 450.3 feet, beam, 53.2 feet, and depth, 28.6 feet. She is fitted with two oil engines, coupled to a single screw shaft by hydraulic oil transformers to 903 N.H.P. by the builders.

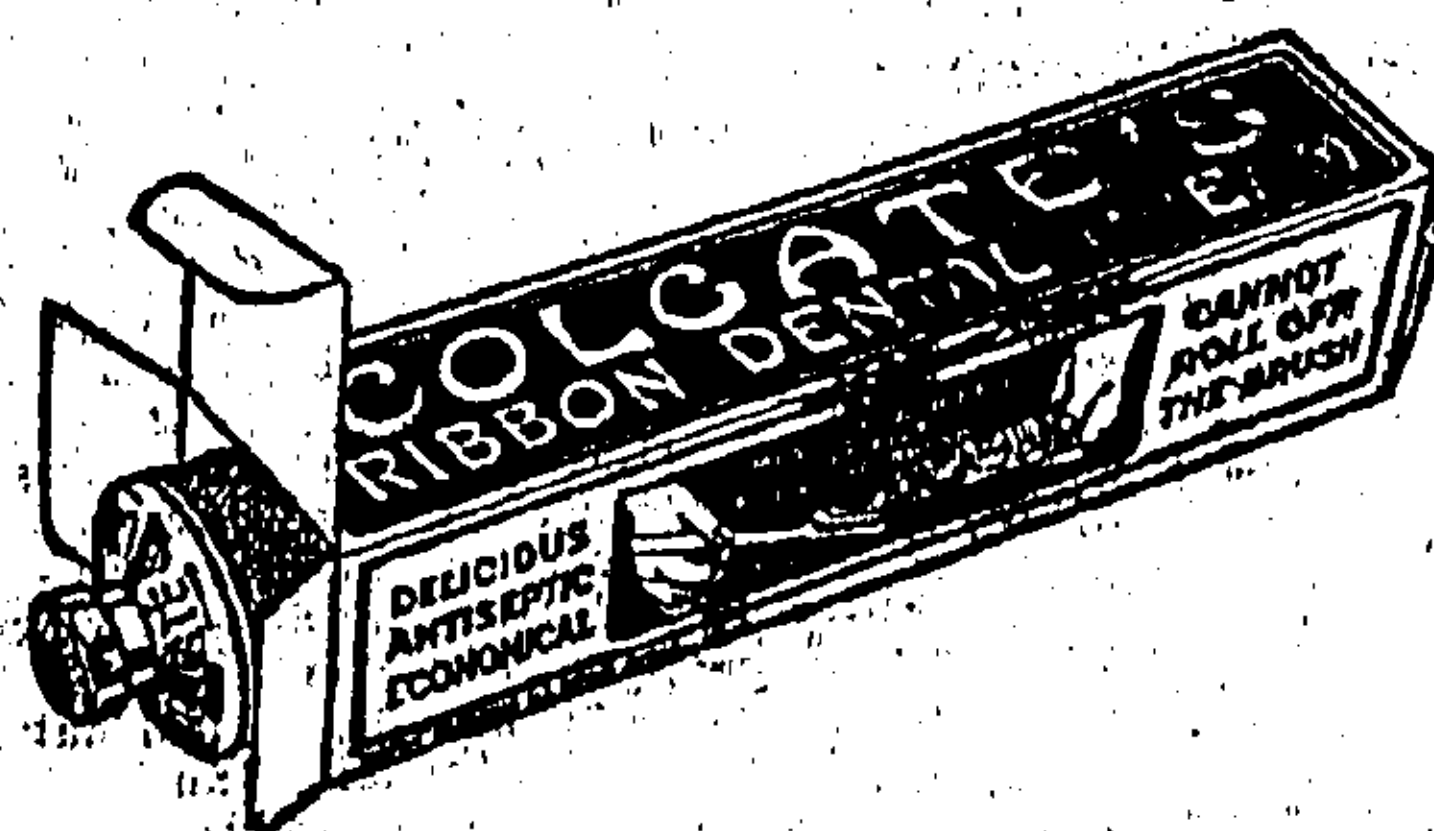
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The tanker Winamac, entering from San Francisco with kerosene in bulk for the Standard Oil Company, is a comparatively old vessel, having been built in England in 1913. Although registered in Hongkong, she is not a frequent visitor, records showing that she has not touched the port for a considerable time. Captain Raby is in command, with a crew of 10 British and 30 Asiatics.

Viscount Haldane has been elected Chancellor of St. Andrew's University in place of the late Earl Haig.

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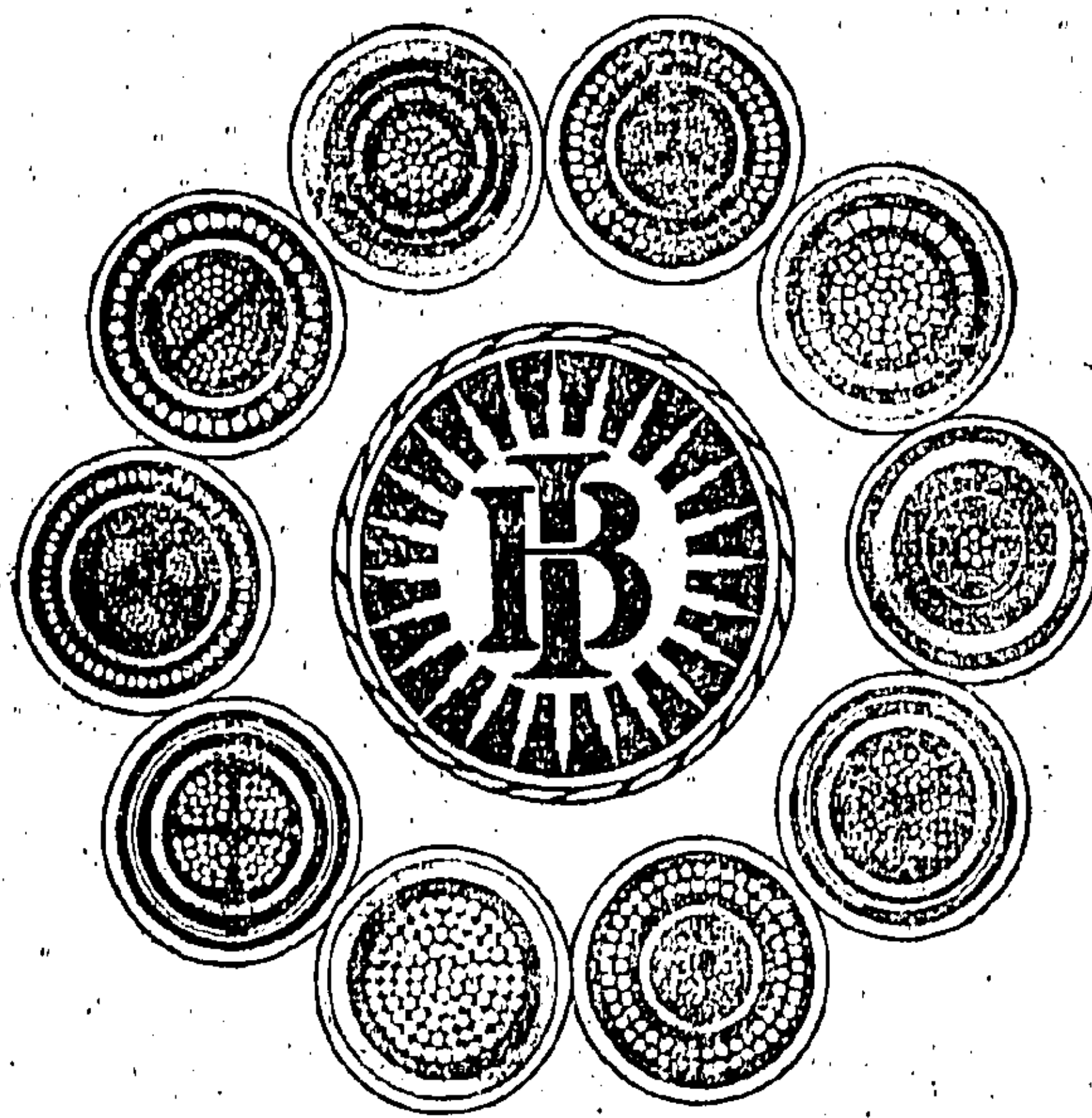
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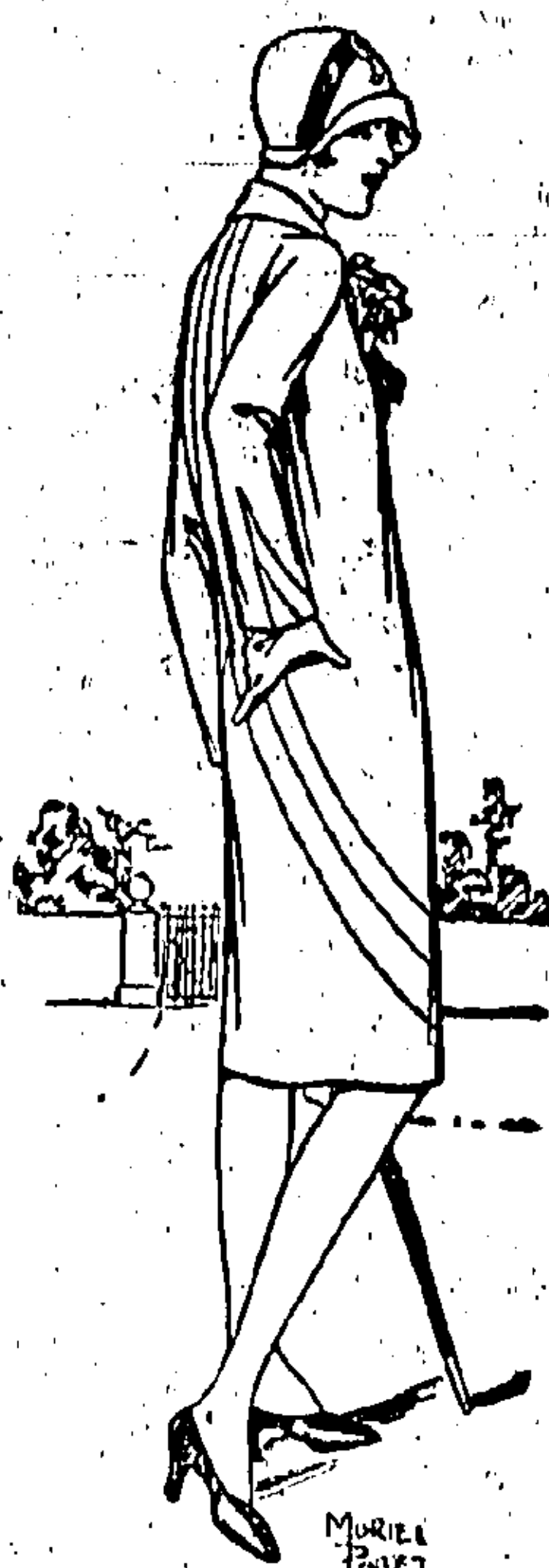
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WOMAN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.



A thin lining of printed silk was slipped into this coat of soft flannel, the coat itself being of grey and the lining of blue printed in grey. The straight line is effective, and there are straps of the material running across the back, from the collar downwards, which give a tasteful finish. Corresponding straps decorate the sleeves.

Raffia Rugs.

IN MANY AMUSING CUBIST DESIGNS.

Raffia is almost as much used in France as in England, but for rather different purposes. While it is used in England for personal adornment in the shape of hats and flowers, in France it is very largely confined to furniture. For summer-houses curtains are woven of raffia, and it is also used for summer blinds, its bright colourings looking particularly charming in the sun. The most successful use of this material is, however, seen in rugs, which are by no means confined only to the country. Raffia rugs are made in all the amusing Cubist designs, some with borders more or less conventionalized, and some with unrestricted splashes of colour. A very favourite form of rug in raffia has a camel-like design. That is to say, it is covered with splashes of many colours, shaped more or less like the tail of a camel. Some of these tails are made to look as though they were chasing their own ends, like a whirling, and the carpet then has a tremendous swirling effect. Others maintain the triangular convention, and the tendency here is for the several triangles to show some sort of shading. Some of the most effective rugs have the brightest colours. There are those, based obviously on a spring meadow, which are all green blue contrasted with a bright yellow green, almost of a lime-flower shade. Others have a great deal of beige and orange contrasted with splashes of black. In general the most artificial colourings are the most effective, and a very charming rug was seen in jade green with magenta of a particularly virulent hue.

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TIME-SAVING AND ECONOMICAL.

Delicious tea-time dainties can be easily and inexpensively turned out simply by decorating plain products purchased from the baker's shop.

Ordinary sponge buns (sometimes called "baby" sponge), for instance, can be transformed into all sorts of tempting varieties. Cut a thin slice from the top of each—to be used afterwards as a lid—scoop out a little of the centre, arrange a strip of angelica across to form a handle, and you have a pretty little "basket" which can be completed with almost any filling.

Chopped table jelly topped with cream with a cherry on top, or thin banana slices sprinkled with pink sugar. For those of the family who have not a sweet tooth, try a filling of custard or lemon curd, or a mixture of chopped ginger and raisins (these should first be "plumped" in hot water) or prune pulp decorated with chopped nuts.

Many bakers will supply little pastry cases on request, and these too may be filled with any of the above mixtures.

Delicious Biscuits.

Delicious biscuits may be evolved by brushing the tops of plain short-bread biscuits with thin jelly and dipping them in grated coconut. Common halfpenny gingerbread entirely covered with pink icing sugar tastes twice as good.

The ordinary jelly sandwich may also be given a new guise. Try spreading it with orange marmalade and putting this orange frosting on top. Mix the grated rind of half an orange with three dessertspoonsful of orange juice, and half a teaspoonful of lemon juice, and allow to stand for fifteen minutes. Strain, add the beaten yolk of one egg, and enough caster sugar to allow it to spread.

Little sponge leaves may be transformed into rich-looking chocolate loaves by coating with chocolate icing made in the following manner—Heat two ounces of grated chocolate in two dessertspoonsful of water until melted, add three ounces of icing sugar, and beat well. After spreading, and while the icing is still soft, mark with a knife to give the rough appearance of a loaf.

The enterprising housewife will soon discover many other ways in which, at small cost and with little trouble, she can produce tempting dainties from very plain foundations. Aim at an attractive colouring, pretty shape, and convenient size.



A patterned triangle of crepe de chine has its unhemmed edges cut into a fringe, giving it a distinctive air.



The crepe de chine jumper suit in this sketch is carried out in soft shades of mauve and green. Stripes running across add a touch of distinction to the jumper, which has a plain binding at the neck ending in a floating tie. The skirt is of plain crepe, pleats at either side giving the necessary fullness. Cuffs and the narrow belt round the waist are also of the plain fabric.

Beauty Hints.

FIND SUITABLE COMBINATION.

Adopt simple treatment for the care of the skin, hair and figure, if you really want to hold your youth and attractiveness. The present vogue of trying every new beauty method that arises is a disastrous one to follow.

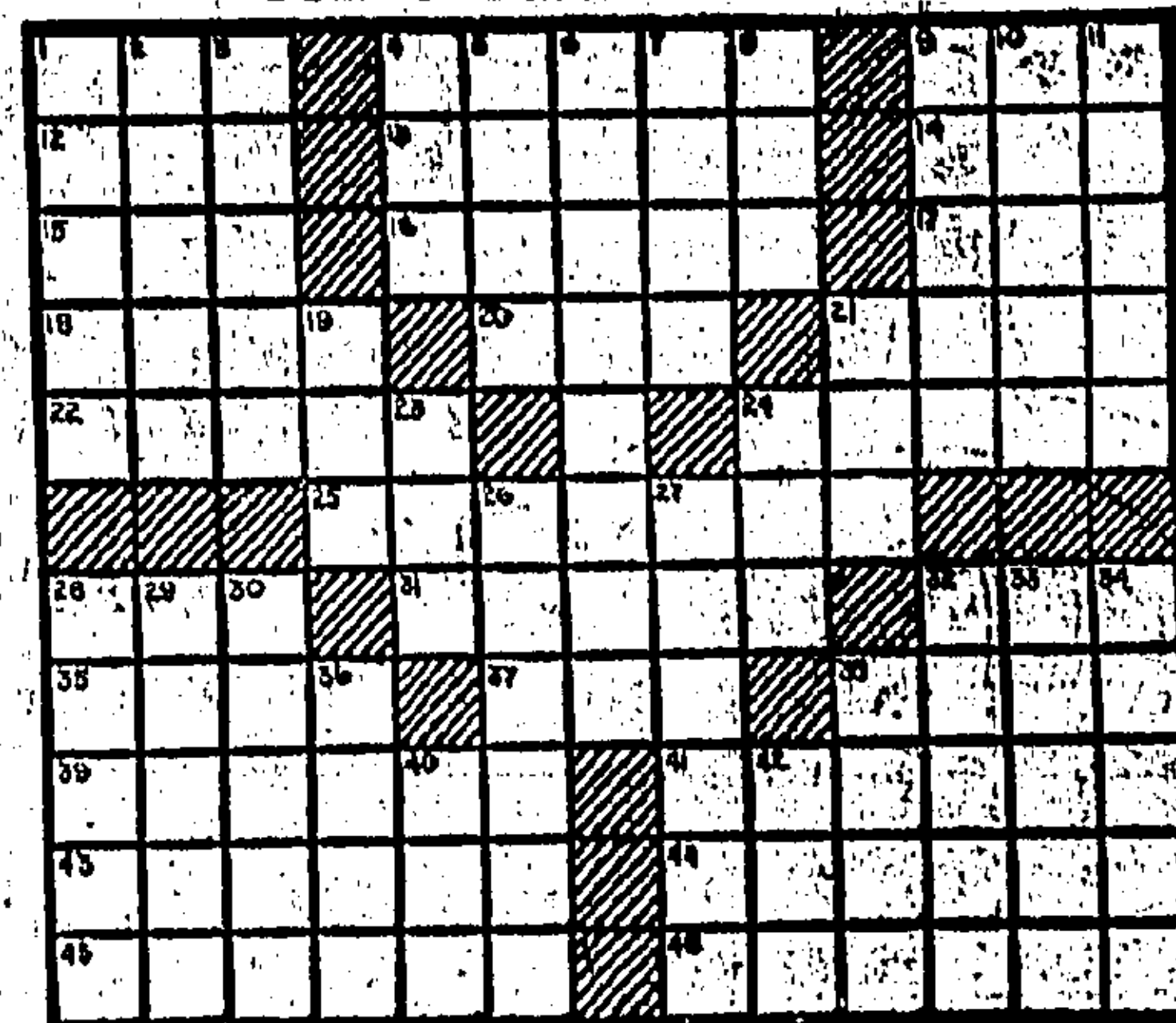
It is necessary, of course, to experiment with cleansing creams, bleaching ointments, tissue creams until one finds the most suitable combination for one's skin. But then it is time to stop, continual changes and unlimited applications of new lotions to the skin will do much to ruin a healthy complexion.

The same holds true for the shampoo. Again it is necessary to try various forms, the oil treatment, the egg shampoo, the vinegar, or lemon rinse, and many different soaps until the ideal combination of soap, rinse and treatment is found.

Learn to resist the temptation to try that new cream or shampoo, when you hear a friend relate the wonders of the discovery.

A clear, smooth complexion is the result of regular care, not jerky violent methods and changes from one astringent to another lotion every few weeks. Any one of the famous beauty salons offer priceless beauty to the women who will follow their instructions year by year. But to the women who take first one course of treatments and then another there is no hope of beauty.—By Clare Bow.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE.



Horizontal.

- 1 Cured and salted thigh of a hog.
- 4 Leaves of a book.
- 12 Geographical drawing.
- 13 Striped camel's hair cloth.
- 14 Place of being elsewhere than the place where a crime occurred.
- 15 Black bird of the cuckoo family.
- 16 To decay.
- 17 Vehicle.
- 18 Nothing.
- 19 Paradise.
- 20 Hastened.
- 21 Badge of valour.
- 22 Sport in which horses are used.
- 24 Mark used to show insertion of word written in margin.
- 25 Brutal.
- 26 Aeriform fuel.
- 31 Next after second.
- 32 Berth.
- 35 To put up a poker stake.
- 37 One in cards.
- 38 To scorch.
- 39 Yeast.
- 41 Inherent.
- 42 The whole.
- 43 Effigies.
- 45 Central cylinders in stems.
- 46 An act of endearment.

Vertical.

- 1 Apartments allotted to the women in a Mohammedan residence.
- 2 Dwelling.
- 3 Paired.
- 4 Foot of an animal.
- 5 Pertaining to wings.
- 6 Immense.
- 7 Black.
- 8 Iniquity.
- 9 A house against which gold was charged.
- 10 Imbecile.
- 11 Helmsman.
- 12 Projection of a lock.
- 21 Chum.
- 23 To permit.
- 24 Cowardly boor.
- 26 Pollishes.
- 27 Peaceful.
- 28 Tempest.
- 29 Concerning.
- 30 To mention.
- 32 Light tan colour.
- 33 Lower borders of roofs.
- 34 Gown.
- 35 Heavenly body.
- 40 Before.
- 42 Eucharist vessel.

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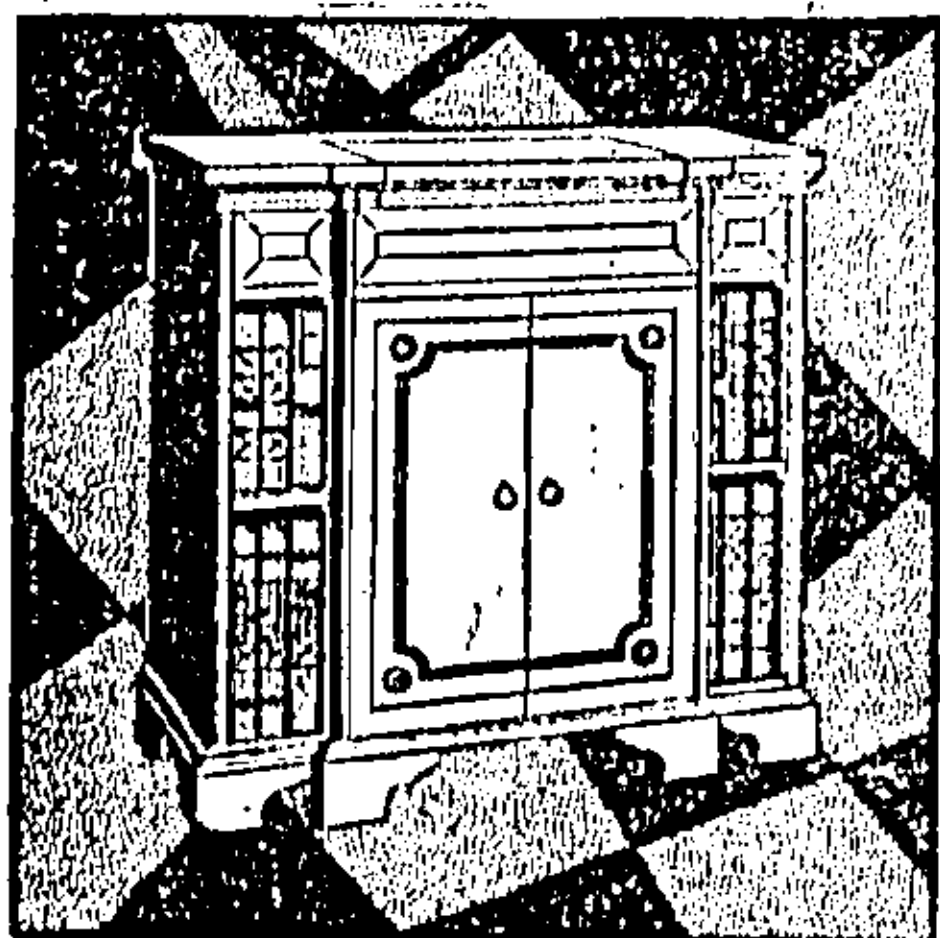


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CRITICAL DAYS.

The difficulties which are being experienced in the convening of the Kuomintang Congress at Nanking are sufficient to show the very real nature of the split in the Party ranks. In this connection, the thought which most naturally occurs to the observer is that if there is all this trouble in getting prominent members even to meet one another, there is small hope of the Party agreeing on most of the major issues with which it is called upon to deal as a consequence of the Nationalists' rise to power. Mutual jealousy and distrust are at the bottom of the matter, plus the ambitions of certain cliques to gather the main power into their own hands.

It has been long apparent that the "Leftists," most of whom are well known for their past activities in the South, are making a dead set against the present Moderate regime in Canton. Their scheme for the dissolution of the branch Political Councils is obviously designed for the express purpose of taking away power from Marshal Li Chai-sum and his colleagues, but at the moment they do not possess the power to carry their aims into effect. It is sincerely to be hoped that they never will, for Canton under its present Administration has been enjoying such a period of peace and quietude as it has not experienced for many a long year. Any move which tends to re-introduce chaos and uncertainty into South China, at a moment when serious efforts at reconstruction are being made, must be regretted. But there is an even larger and more important aspect of this split in the Kuomintang ranks. We refer to its possible reactions on the general situation in China so far as it concerns the Treaty Powers. With circumstances as they are, the Nationalist claim to recognition loses some of its power. As long as these vital differences exist in the Kuomintang, the Nationalists will find it increasingly difficult to convince the outside world that they are in a position to enforce their rule and authority throughout the country. Moreover, the Powers can hardly be blamed if they hesitate to enter into negotiations with the Nanking Government until they see precisely how the situa-

tion develops, and what prospects there are of the present Administration retaining its power. Certainly none of the Powers wants to conclude Treaty agreements with a Government whose signature may later on be repudiated. And that is one of the dangers of the present situation. It may therefore be found that wisdom on the part of foreign nations lies at the moment in hastening slowly when it comes to negotiations for the revision of the treaties.

A Shanghai commentator, we notice, foresees the possibility of a fresh revolutionary outbreak unless the Kuomintang differences are soon composed. This may be an over-statement of the probabilities, but it can certainly be said that the present situation may easily develop along "extremely serious lines, with results which would postpone the complete unification of the country. If they did not lead to actual hostilities. All the Statesmanship of which the Nationalists are capable will be needed to prevent disaster, and we can only hope that counsels of moderation will eventually prevail, thus removing any fears of a fresh upheaval in this unhappy country.

Anticipating Posterity.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek evidently desires to follow the fashion among youthful Nanking leaders of thinking grandiosely, if at all, or, as we would put it, anticipating posterity. The chief merit of his latest proposal advanced as a contribution to China's welfare is that it shows signs of originality inasmuch as the National Treasury is not involved to the extent of unimpaired million dollars, as are the fond schemes of many of his colleagues. On the other hand, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek merely asks for good faith among the militarists and rectitude among the politicians. His bright scheme, obtained in an interview by our Shanghai correspondent, sets forth the remarkable proposition that some sort of provincial and military pact for the outlawry of war in China should be drawn up, following the general lines of Mr. Kellogg's multilateral Treaty.

Not content with this, he carefully enumerates the vast improvements which would obtain in China in the event of the conclusion of such a pact. All this from China's leading militarist, quite recently a disappointed man who took a holiday at Silver Island to demonstrate his feeling of disgust with his opportunistic underlings, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, in spite of his troubles with the divergent Wings of the Kuomintang Party, seems so naively self-complacent it would be a pity to disturb him, but the sympathy which respects his newly-discovered ideals cannot be expected to follow him all the way. The essentials to the conclusion of a no-war pact in China, briefly stated, would be mutual trust, the denial of personal ambitions, and good faith. Party friction would have to go, and all militarists and politicians alike, would be required to settle down to work for the common weal. If Marshal Chiang were not so obviously sincere, it would be laughable. But it is a mistake for him to choose Western ideas if a typically Chinese attitude is to be brought to bear, and, as we see it, Marshal Chiang has begun at the wrong end. The spirit of peace is essentially trustful; which is a different thing from trusting to cultivate a peaceful spirit.

EXCHANGE RATES.

London, Aug. 7.

Paris	124.20
Geneva	25.22
Berlin	20.35
Oslo	19.19
Helsingfors	19.24
New York	4.85 16/32
Amsterdam	12.04
Stockholm	12.14
Vienne	34.405
Madrid	23.145
Brussels	34.90
Milan	92.80
Copenhagen	18.10
Prague	103.8
Lisbon	27/32
Athens	87/45
Bucharest	909 1/2
Rio	47/32
Buenos Aires	1/16
Bombay	1/16
Shanghai	2/16
Hongkong	2/16
Yokohama	1/10 13/32
Silver (spot and forward)	27 1/2

—British Wireless.

DAY BY DAY.

PRODIGAL SONS ARE NOT MET WITH FEASTS OF VEAL TO-DAY; THE GOLD SHOULDER IS THEIR STAPLE FOOD.—*B. E. Houghton.*

The P. and O. s.s. Kidderpore, from Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m. on Saturday.

The Ben Linc s.s. Benledi, from Home, Straits, and Philippines ports, is due here on the 14th instant.

It is advertised that after Thursday, August 9, a constant supply of water will be turned on in all rider main districts.

Yesterday's health return discloses one case each of diphtheria, paratyphoid fever and puerperal fever. All were Chinese.

The s.s. King Yuan arriving from Singapore and Amoy, reports the death of a Chinese deck passenger from consumption on July 29.

So far as can be ascertained, no further steps have yet been taken with regard to the establishment of a Commission to enquire into conditions prevailing in West River steamers.

A villager from the Sai Kung district was fined \$48 by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, for being in possession of six mace of prepared opium.

A Chinese woman grass-cutter was sent to the G. C. H. yesterday suffering from the effect of snakebite on her right leg. The woman was cutting grass on the Peak when she was bitten.

During the relaying of the tramway track, West-bound vehicular traffic will be diverted from Des Voeux Road Central at the junction of Jackson Road, by way of Queen's Road Central and Wardley Street.

A Chinese was arrested yesterday at the Munkok Ferry Wharf, when it was found by searchers that the man was in possession of one .38 long revolver. The arrested man is a stoker on board the s.s. Winamac.

This morning's Harbour Office reports gave 17 arrivals and 12 departures, British seven and eight respectively, leaving 57 vessels in harbour, British 23. British inward cargoes totalled nearly 20,000 tons.

It is announced that fares by P. and O. steamers have now been increased, the difference in the case of first class "A" returns on London being £4, previously being £175, and second class "A" returns, the same increase, previously £122.

At the Marine Court this morning before Commr. J. B. Newell, D.S.O., R.N., five mistresses of cargo boats, were charged with mooring their craft inshore during dark hours and pleading guilty, were severally fined \$10 with the usual alternative.

A report has been made to the police by Mr. Wong Man-keung, assistant manager of Messrs. W. S. Sherry & Co., of No. 4 Queen's Road Central, to the effect that, during last week-end, some person stole \$266.15 from a combination lock safe in the office. An assistant who has absconded, is suspected.

For erecting and maintaining without permission a water closet at No. 243 Leichikok Road since June 23, 1927, the principal tenant was fined \$10 by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. It was stated that the structure was illegal in many ways. An order was made for its removal within a week.

The chief stoker of the Standard Oil Company's tanker, Winamac, was charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with being in possession of a revolver without a permit. The defendant was formally remanded till tomorrow, the police applying for trial by two Magistrates.

H.M.S. Hawkins, flagship of the British China Squadron, entered Dairen on July 26 and was obliged to hurry back to Weihaiwei the same evening on account of an officer having been severely injured just when the flagship was about to be moored, says the *Manchuria Daily News*. The injured officer had to be taken back to Weihaiwei for surgical treatment.

The health return for the past week shows six cases of small-pox (five fatal), six of typhoid (two fatal), three of diphtheria, one of paratyphoid fever and one of puerperal fever. (fatal). British sufferers were one of diphtheria and one of paratyphoid. All the rest were Chinese, excepting one Indian case of typhoid.

PRETTY CHINESE WEDDING.

THIS AFTERNOON'S CEREMONY AT ST. PAUL'S

A pretty Chinese wedding is taking place at St. Paul's Church this afternoon, the contracting parties being Mr. Lam Chik-shang and Miss Violet Tock. The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lam Woy, his father being one of the best-known contractors in the Colony; whilst the bride, who was born and educated in Australia, is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loung Tock, of Melbourne. The Rev. S. F. Tso is officiating at the wedding.

The bride, who is to be given away by her brother, Mr. George N. Tock, is to be attired in a Chinese dress of silver lace over white satin, with an embroidered

About Hong Kong.

Do you know that—

Hongkong formerly had a High Court for the Suppression of Piracy?

It was instituted in 1869, for the trying of piracy cases with a jury, but the Ordinance under which it was established was repealed two years later. Piracy cases now come before the Criminal Sessions.

Some years prior to the creation of this Court, Sir George Bonham, the Governor, declared that it would be impossible to suppress piracy without the co-operation of the Chinese Government. He added:—"This co-operation I have repeatedly requested without avail, and in the present disorganised state of the seaboard part of the Chinese Empire, it is now useless to expect it."

tulle veil held in place with a coronet of orange blossoms and pearls, and will carry a shower bouquet of white blossoms and pale pink roses.

The chief bridesmaid will be Miss Sue A. L. Goody, who will wear a dress of apricot and silver lace, whilst Miss Grace Suen will also attend the bride and will be attired in a dress of pale green georgette and silver lace. Both bridesmaids will wear head-dresses of diamante and they will carry contrasting shower bouquets.

Also attending the bride will be Misses Joyce Lim and May Law as flower-girls. They will wear pink and blue georgette dresses respectively, with silver lace yokes, the skirts being finished off with tiny georgette frills, and they will carry silver baskets of pink blossoms.

Mr. Lam Chik-ho (brother of the bridegroom) will be the "best man," whilst Mr. Wong Ying-hang will attend as groomsman.

Following the wedding, a reception is to be held at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, whilst tonight a dinner is being given at the South China Restaurant.

"SADIE THOMPSON."

A REMARKABLE FILM AT QUEEN'S.

"Sadie Thompson," Gloria Swanson's latest United Artists picture, which will be screened at the Queen's Theatre from to-day till Saturday, has been adapted from the most widely discussed stories of modern literature, "Miss Thompson," by W. Somerset Maugham, produced as a stage play under the title of "Rain."

This daring story of "Sadie Thompson's" domination by a tyrannical reformer on a storm-swept South Sea island who forces her to confess that she is an exile from the underworld of San Francisco and then determines to break her defiant spirit and gain her repentance, is told with the utmost realism. "Sadie Thompson" is the sort of screen narrative that is of interest to men and women everywhere because its characters are everyday people, and their personalities are believable. The situations which develop from the reformer's struggle to choose between his devotion to duty and the call of worldly desires forms a climax of great dramatic power.

Gloria Swanson plays the colourful role of "Sadie" and is supported by Lionel Barrymore who appears in the picture as the reformer, Raoul Walsh, who made "What Price Glory" directed the picture and also plays the part of a mariner whose love and simple faith eventually brings about the salvation of the outcast Blanche Frederic, William Stanton and many others are also included in the large cast.

Owing to the length of the picture, performances start promptly at the special times of 2.30, 5.00, 7.15 and 9.30.

The Very Idea!

"One of the things I dislike most is being told that I am not English," said Viscountess Astor, M.P., at the unveiling of a memorial tablet to the pioneer settlers of the State of Virginia, at Brunswick Wharf, E.

"I had the painful duty," she added, "of telling an English peer of the realm, who had informed me that I could not understand a certain situation as I was not English, that I was far more English than he, since my family had a grant from England 200 years before he came from Germany. It hurts me deep down in my heart when I hear English people running down Americans, and Americans running down the English, but I am perfectly willing to take either of them on, either here or in America, and convince them that they are wrong, for I come of a good old fighting stock. It is lucky I do because I have to fight pretty often, for mine is not an easy road—but no woman's is. "England, above everything else, is just. I believe that it is this quality of justice which sometimes makes her a little unpopular. I have a husband who is terribly just, so I know how irritating it can be."

A certain dignified business man amazed his companions by turning up at the club for lunch with his new typist—a girl of 13 or 19.

His companions made a point of battering him with banter next day until he volunteered the explanation.

"The truth of the matter is thus," he said. "Yesterday, at one o'clock, I noticed that the girl had not gone off for lunch. Thinking she did not know when her lunch hour was, I said to her, 'Have you not had lunch, Miss Blank?' "Whereupon the girl blushed and murmured, 'Why, no. Thank you very much—I'll be ready in a minute.' "And she was."

In politics there should be no loyalty except to the public good.—Mr. Bernard Shaw.

All our schools are finishing schools; they finish what has never begun.—Mr. G. K. Chesterton.

A garden is a middle world between the house and the wild.—Sir Lawrence Weaver.

Enjoyment of country conditions throughout the year necessitates a special upbringing which is given only to a few.—Sir George Duckworth.

There is more than one thing for which we are grateful to the B.B.C.—you can not only switch it on, but you can switch it off.—Sir Arthur Stanley.

Great Britain is still the most heavily taxed country in the world. Although our athletic prestige is rather inclined to diminish (A runner when British is rarely as skittish

As one who is Yankee or Finnish).

In one sphere at least, we come first

(In this our prestige daily waxes).

For one fact is clearer than crystal (and dearer)—

We're the champion payers of taxes!

Willenden magistrate to a woman complainant: Try to educate your neighbours up to your own declared high standard of womanhood, and there may yet be peace in your street.

Absent-minded solicitor at Willenden: Is your husband an older woman than you are? Wife: Over ten years, sir.

Lambeth woman in a letter to the magistrate: Your worship, would you graciously withdraw the summons?

Nothinghamshire solicitor: This woman prepared for the fray; she took off her coat, hat, gloves, and glasses, and then she took out her teeth.

Magistrate at Tottenham to a husband: You know, when you married your wife you made a promise to live with her. Man: Yes, and now I have promised not to live with her again.

An example of how the use of colloquial expressions can make a statement very hazy, almost contradictory, was furnished by a constable in the Police Court recently. He was giving evidence as to the condition of a man charged with drunkenness. Asked by the Police Prosecutor for the further enlightenment of his statement, "I stood him on his feet," the witness delivered himself of the following apparent conflict of directions of applied force: "I had to hang on to him to hold him up."

Church notice in Iowa paper:—"We are studying sin now in every way, and it is very enjoyable and interesting. You will get a different view of sin than you ever had before. Come!"

PEPPER WHICH WAS ADULTERATED.

CONTAINED GOOD DEAL OF STARCH.

ARGUMENT IN COURT.

An interesting discussion emerged from a summons case before Mr. R. B. Lindsall this morning, when his Worship was asked to convict a shop-keeper of Tung Street for having sold adulterated food-stuffs because pepper which he sold to a customer contained a large proportion of starch.

It was claimed for the defendant that it was largely a matter of local practice that pepper should be sold in that form, and this would appear to have a precedent in an authority, quoted by his Worship, where a man sold mustard to which was added a proportion of starch.

For the Sanitary Department, Mr. W. J. Carrie argued that mustard was sold in two forms, the first being the pure powder, which was used for mustard baths, and the second being sold as an ingredient in which flour had to be added to make the required paste. A well-known British firm, in advertising the sale of table mustard, also advertised the proportion of starch used therein.

"Pepper is Pepper."

But, continued Mr. Carrie, pepper was pepper, and should not contain any extraneous matter, although a little allowance might be made for the sand that was unavoidably present with the pepper-corn. Many people, in their desire to have pure pepper, ground their own pepper-corn into the required powder.

Therefore, when the customer asked for pepper, he expected to be given pepper, not pepper which was definitely increased in weight and bulk by such extraneous matter as starch.

Recalling a previous case where in vinegar was the subject of argument, his Worship said the case for the present defendant was that he sold the pepper in that form to a Chinese market, where such adulteration was more or less a general practice. If he had sold it at the price of pure pepper, it would then be a fraud and the issue of the present case would be much simplified.

Mr. Carrie said that such samples as were taken by the Analyst's Department were of pepper sold in a loose form, of the sort that would go into the Chinese market. The Department had not found it necessary, for example, to take analyses of pepper in bottles or other receptacles as such as were sold by Crosbie & Blackwell's.

Figures Quoted.

To show the important view taken by the authorities of the subject matter of the discussion, Mr. Carrie quoted figures from the books of the Analyst's Department, revealing that of 14 samples of pepper taken in 1925, nine were discovered to be adulterated, and that of nine further samples taken in the following year, one was also found to be adulterated through being moistened. Again in the present year, 13 samples were taken, of which two, including the present case, were found to be adulterated. The other case was only a recent occurrence, a conviction with a fine of \$25 being recorded at the Kowloon Magistracy.

Technical Offence.

The defendant was asked by Mr. Lindsall whether he wished to produce witnesses to prove his claim that the sale of such adulterated pepper was a general practice at Chinese shops. He replied in the negative.

His Worship then said that he did not regard the case as more than a technical offence. He fined the defendant \$15.

YOUNG COMMUNISTS ACTIVE.**TROUBLE IN HAN RIVER DISTRICT.**

Swatow, Aug. 3. News from the Han River continues to show that conditions in the Tapu and Yang-tung districts are far from satisfactory.

Young Communists instigated by some ex-school teachers, and having at their back and call some troops and peasants, are keeping the districts in disturbance. Their activities are purely destructive—robbery, arson and kidnapping. The city of Yang-tung only narrowly escaped being looted by them recently. Instructions have been given to district magistrates to see to it that the Swatow-Amoy telegraph, which has been out of use for some years, be now speedily repaired. *Our Own Correspondent.*

SWATOW'S NOVEL PROPOSAL.**BANKNOTE TAX FOR SCHOOLS.****STUDENTS REALISE FUTILITY OF AGITATION.****EDUCATION CONGRESS.**

Swatow, Aug. 3.

China is evidently acquiring the conference habit. Conference follows conference in the North. In Swatow, after that of the Executive Officials and of Popular Representatives we have now a meeting of Educational Officials and Headmasters of Government schools.

Such conferences serve two purposes. They give officials an opportunity of explaining their policy and admiring future lines of development, and they give a certain but limited opportunity for suggestion and criticism by the people. In the absence of forms of popular government, there is doubtless value in the method.

The main subject of the Educational Conference here has been a plan for compulsory elementary education. A comprehensive scheme, on paper, was presented.

Need for More Schools.

It is estimated that over 8,000 children of school age are unprovided for in Swatow. To put them to school, some 20 new elementary schools are required. The site of each of them would cost about \$4,000 and the buildings each about \$3,600.

The necessary \$160,000 or so, it is proposed, might be found by the sale of land belonging to the China Merchants Navigation Company. On what ground the Company's land may be taken for the purpose is not explained.

A Novel Proposal.

Yearly running expenses, to the amount of \$80,000, it is suggested might be raised in a novel way. Ten Banks in Swatow issue their own paper guarantee. The proposer of the scheme claims that foreign banks, notably British and Japanese, have to produce a far heavier guarantee than those in Swatow, that the Swatow banks make a very good thing out of their \$8,000,000 of paper money, and that a tax might be put on the paper to yield the \$80,000 required.

This proposal, I am told, has been taken over from the Communists. How far the scheme as a whole has official backing, or is feasible, is difficult to say. It sounds rather ideal than practical. On the other hand, it proceeds from the Educational Department of the Municipality and the Mayor was at the conference while it was proposed.

Illiteracy is one of the big obstacles in the way of China's development, and the interest of the authorities in the matter of education shows them to be alive to real issues.

New Moderate Tone.

Two years ago, large additions to the numbers of school children to be called "students" and to swell the student movement would have been cause for disquiet; nor are the principles on which education is to be based yet sufficiently clear to make it an unmixt blessing. The new moderate tone in educational circles, however, indicates a wiser attitude to the whole question.

The student class has been withdrawn from active politics and themselves see that the Millennium is not to come that way. Many of those who were leaders two years ago are now stranded, having left school without certificates and with substantially no training. Others are teachers who see that schools cannot be run as they wanted them run when scholars.

A new point of view has therefore been developing in scholastic circles and there is a growing determination to return to solid work. Although the weekly memorial celebration of Dr. Sun Yat-sen is kept, it seems unlikely that his books can long continue to be regarded with real veneration or from the basis of the education of youth.

It is of interest to foreigners that in this Conference the position of private schools has little or no place on the programme. In other words, the missionary schools are being given a breathing space, and it may even be hoped will be allowed quietly to retain a place in the national system. *Our Own Correspondent.*

The China Commercial Advertising Agency, of Shanghai, of which Mr. C. P. Ling is manager, have removed to their new headquarters—ground floor of 2, Hongkong Road, Shanghai. Their increasing volume of business and the increase of members on their staff require a bigger office space.

MARKING BRITISH PRODUCE.**NEW AGRICULTURAL SCHEME INITIATED.****VALUABLE REFORM.**

London, Aug. 7.

The Government has appointed a Committee to supervise the carrying out of the Act which has recently been passed by Parliament for the grading and marking of agricultural produce.

The Chairman of the Committee is Lord Darling, the well-known former Judge, and other members are Sir F. A. Jones, legal adviser to the Ministry of Agriculture, and Sir William Peat, the eminent chartered accountant.

The Committee will have power to authorise the use of a mark and to suspend or revoke the right to use it in individual cases, if necessary. It will watch the general working of the scheme and advise the Government of changes, as experience may prove to be necessary.

A Trade Committee has been set up to deal with applications. A national mark system is regarded a great reform in the marketing of British-grown produce.

The mark, which will identify the produce as British and guarantee a specified standard, will be a map of England with a circle enclosing the Union Jack. It will be applied, at the outset, to fruit, beginning with apples and pears, from September 1st. It will be extended to include a number, or other indication of identity, so that complaints can be followed up.

The scheme is a voluntary one, but if goods should not conform with the standard specified, the purchaser will be entitled to recover damages for breach of warranty or breach of contract. *British Wireless.*

QUARREL IN POLICE STATION.**COOK AND COOLIE EQUALLY TO BLAMED.**

A quarrel over money matters resulted in a coolie employed at the Hunghom Police Station appearing before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of assaulting a cook of the Station.

Sub-Inspector James told his Worship that during their meal on Saturday a quarrel arose between the two parties over money and during the argument the defendant threw a rice bowl at the cook, inflicting two serious injuries on his left arm. The complainant had been in hospital since Saturday.

Sub-Inspector James remarked that both parties were equally responsible for the quarrel.

The defendant was fined \$15 and ordered to pay the complainant \$5 compensation while both parties were ordered to sign a bond for their future behaviour.

Gaumont British Picture Corporation, Ltd., have offered to purchase from the L.C.C. the freehold of the Hippodrome, Peckham, for £10,000.

POWELL CAPITAL REDUCED.**COURT CONFIRMS THE DECISION.****LOSSES EXPLAINED TO CHIEF JUSTICE.****ONLY ONE CREDITOR.**

The loss sustained by Messrs. William Powell, Limited, were explained in the Supreme Court this morning, before the Chief Justice, (Sir Henry Gollan,) when Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. R. A. Wadson, of Messrs. Deacons, applied on behalf of the Company for the Court's confirmation of the reduction of capital, as agreed by the shareholders recently.

In making the application, Mr. Sheldon said that as the application involved the return of capital to shareholders, it came under a slightly different procedure than an ordinary application to the Court. On July 20, this year, he said, a list of creditors was drawn up when, as a matter of fact, the only creditor was the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, to whom was owed an overdraft of \$5,638. Since that date, there had been no additions to the creditors.

Mr. Sheldon read the applicant's petition, which stated that the Company was incorporated in 1901 as a company limited by shares. The registered office was at Powell's Building. The object for which the Company was formed were to carry on the business of drapers, furnishing, and general warehousemen in all its branches, and other objects.

The petition continued that the capital was \$350,000 divided into 50,000 shares of \$7 each, of which the Company had issued 42,000 and the sum of \$7 per share had been paid up.

The Reduction.

The Articles of Association provided that the Company might, from time to time, reduce their capital by special resolution. A special resolution was duly passed and confirmed at extraordinary general meetings held on June 9 and June 23, 1928.

This resolution was to the effect that the capital be reduced to \$100,000 divided into 50,000 shares at \$2 each, the reduction to be effected by cancelling capital to the extent of \$4.50 per share issued and returning 50 cents per share, thereby reducing the nominal amount of shares from \$7 to \$2.

It was further stated in the petition that, previous to the passing of the special resolution, paid-up capital of the Company to the extent of \$189,000 had been lost or was unrepresented by available assets. Paid-up capital to the extent of 50 cents per share on each of the 42,000 shares issued, making in all the sum of \$21,000, was now in excess of the Company's requirements.

The reasons given were that the Company had sold the property in which it previously carried on business and had taken premises at a much smaller rental. Capital charges in respect of the property would thus be eliminated. The company was disposing of a large quantity of stock-in-trade, fittings and fixtures. Therefore the capital expenditure for depreciation and replacements of stock *(Continued on Next Column.)*

RECENT KULING OUTRAGE.**TWO AMERICAN GIRLS ARE THE VICTIMS.****MUCH INDIGNATION.**

A letter received in Hankow from Kuling records an outrage which recently occurred at the summer resort, and which has caused much indignation amongst the foreign community.

It appears that one Sunday morning recently a policeman in the West Valley waylaid two girls, Americans, one 8 and the other 10 years, and raped them. The policeman of course has disappeared and it appears that his guarantor is the official up here. All foreigners on the hill are raving over the outrage. The Council says the writer, have had a special meeting and are demanding the dismissal of the magistrate. Everyone is hoping that they take strong measures for Kuling is not the place it used to be, says the writer.

It is overrun with Chinese. They are in houses in all parts and one does not longer feel safe to take long walks. The police here are a real bad lot and the Chinese have been given into too much. There have been several complaints made to the officials but they take no notice. It is not safe to leave children alone up here this summer.

A later report states that very bitter feeling is being evoked over the West Valley outrage as it would appear that, except for a report that the matter has been transferred to Kuling very little is being done about it. As a result, the general opinion is that the Chinese policeman who committed the rape and who is said to be guaranteed by the magistrate, will never be caught.

The two children connected with the affair are Americans and the elder girl is in hospital very ill suffering from shock and other results. The whole affair, it is felt, has struck a costly blow at Kuling for foreigners. Women are now thinking twice about going to the sanatorium, while those who are up the hill have given up going long walks.

would be largely decreased. The Company was confining itself to the carrying on of the business of tailors and outfitters only. That would require considerably less capital than the numerous businesses previously carried on.

It was proposed that the following minute be registered: "The capital of William Powell, Limited, is \$100,000 divided into 50,000 shares of \$2 each, of which \$350,000 have been issued, instead of \$350,000 divided into 50,000 shares of \$7 each. At the date of the registration of this minute each of the said issued shares is to be deemed to be fully paid up."

After referring to various affidavits, Mr. Sheldon read one signed by Mr. M. Manuk, for five years a director of the Company and one year its chairman.

Mr. Manuk's affidavit stated that the difference between the assets, \$633,318.52, and the liabilities, \$382,318.52, appeared to be \$189,000 and accordingly, paid-up capital to the extent of \$189,000 had been lost or was unrepresented by available assets.

Powell's Building Loss.

The loss of capital was attributable to the following circumstances: The Company was the owner of the property known as "Powell's Building" which property was valued at the sum of \$870,000 and was subject to two mortgages made by the Company, amounting in all to \$566,080. The interest on the mortgages, less the rental of those parts of the premises which were let out, constituted so great a charge on the profits of the business which the Company was doing, and there being a prospect that in the immediate future very extensive repairs would become necessary in order to keep up the mortgagees' security, it was decided it would be in the best interests of the Company to sell the property, and it was accordingly sold at the price of \$566,000, resulting in a net loss of \$304,000. In addition, the stock-in-trade had now been valued on the basis of the current market prices at the sum of \$39,808.63 as against a book value of \$168,940.03, thus showing a further loss of \$76,631.40.

There was also a loss of \$10,000 owing to depreciation of fixtures and fittings, and the foregoing, with the loss carried forward from the previous year's trading amounting to \$30,996.60, made a total loss of \$420,628.

As against that loss there were the sums of \$6,528 (profit for the year), \$170,000 in General Reserve, and \$55,000 in the Equalisation of Dividend Account, making in all the sum of \$231,620 which, being deducted from the losses gave a total loss of \$189,000. His Lordship granted the application.

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bright contribution of 102, while
K. S. Duleep Singh played perfect
cricket and with a score of 125
had the honour of being the
highest individual scorer for his
side.

It was evident that Middlesex
would have to fight hard for runs,
but when E. T. Killick and
Hendren got together, the situa-
tion underwent a change. Hendren
was in one of his brightest moods
and scored 158 in brilliant style,
while the amateur played a
magnificent innings, making his
runs mainly on the offside, and
forcing the pace once he
had settled down. Killick made
140. After the partnership had
been broken, Middlesex went on
to make the necessary runs to
secure first innings points.

CHEAP WICKETS IN KENT.

Somerset Defeated by an Innings.

"Kent celebrated Frank Woolley's
Benefit match by defeating
Somerset by an innings and 14
runs at Canterbury. Somerset's
wicket fell cheaply in each in-
nings, C. S. Marriott doing the
principal damage. The scores
were:

Kent: 309 for 7 wickets
(decl.).
Somerset: 100 and 195.

It was unfortunate for Woolley
that inclement weather interfered
with the game, and therefore the
"gate," but Kent secured an easy
victory. Batting first, the de-
claration was applied when 309
runs were on the board.

Somerset collapsed, and forced
to follow on could do no better
than a meagre 195 runs. C. S.
Marriott took 5 wickets for 44
runs in Somerset's second inning.

MANCHESTER WEATHER.

Lancashire and Yorkshire Share Points.

Manchester lived up to its re-
putation, though it was unfor-
tunate that it chose to do so on
the occasion of the Lancashire-
Yorkshire clash. It was impos-
sible for Lancashire to complete
their first innings, and points
will be shared.

The scores were:

Yorkshire: 352.
Lancashire: 244 for 3 wickets.

Yorkshire found the Lancashire
attack in great fettle on batting
first. Sutcliffe played a classical
innings, battling with restraint,
but taking toll of any loose balls.
Before his wicket was taken, he
made 120. Yorkshire's innings
closing at 352.

Lancashire's task was not
unduly formidable, and a three
figure innings by Watson, who
made 110, albeit at a slow pace,
was the chief feature of some
splendid cricket. Rain, however,
intervened, and Lancashire re-
tired to the pavilion still 108
runs in arrears with 7 wickets in
hand.

ESSEX IMPROVEMENT.

Russell in Form Against Worcester.

Essex showed considerable im-
provement on recent form, al-
though the nature of the oppo-
sition is taken into account. Russell
made a welcome contribution, and
played the principal part in
obtaining first innings points.

The scores were:

Essex: 440, and 250 for 5
wickets (decl.).
Worcester: 345 and 97 for 0
wicket.

It will be seen that the match
produced 1,140 runs for only 25
wickets. Essex batting first, gave
a bright display, Russell hitting
freely for 153. Root bowled
capitally, but his 6 wickets were
obtained at a cost of 104 runs.

Worcester were in by no means
an uncomfortable position at the
close.

HOBBS SPLENDID.

Surrey's Mainstay in Both Innings.

Notts did exceedingly well to take
first innings points from Surrey
at the Oval. Only Hobbs made
a serious effort to cope with the
variety of the Notts attack and he
did splendidly in both innings.
Larwood and Staples kept the
Surrey scoring down, while a
timely century by Whysall enabled
the visitors to gain a lead of 56
of the first innings. The scores
were:

Surrey: 268 and 183 for 3
wickets.
Notts: 324.

Surrey won the toss and elected
to bat first. Hobbs settled down
to some splendid cricket and ap-
peared to be well set for his
century when the Notts attack
brought about his downfall.
Hobbs had made 93 but he had
been unable to get anyone to
stand with him for long and the
Surrey innings closed at 268.

Notts made 324 in reply,
Whysall scoring 129.

Rain had interrupted the game
at various stages, and it was
evident that no conclusion could
be reached. Surrey in their
second innings made 183 for 3
wickets, to which Hobbs con-
tributed 83 (not out).

DERBYSHIRE RECOVER.

Warwick in Strong Position.

Warwick placed themselves in
an exceedingly strong position
against Derbyshire, at Birming-
ham, but although they enforced
the follow-on, Derby recovered
sufficiently well to avoid any
prospect of defeat.

The scores were:

Warwick: 564 for 7 wickets
(decl.).
Derbyshire: 255 and 222 for
3 wickets.

Warwick's batsmen batted
strongly throughout, the leading
contributors being Parsons (115)
and W. G. Qualife (115).

Dunnell took 5 Derby wickets for
63 runs when the visitors took
their first knock, and the innings
closed at 255.

Following-on, Derbyshire defied
the Warwick attack, and
when stumps were drawn had
seven wickets in hand, although
the eleven was still nearly 100
runs in arrears.

F. J. SEABROOK, 107.

Gloucester Gain First Innings Points.

F. J. Seabrook again came to
Gloucester's aid, scoring another
century, this time against Hamp-
shire at Bristol. Although Glou-
cester were in a position to enforce
the follow on they did not use the
right, and the match was drawn.
It might have been won with
other tactics. The scores were:

Gloucester: 368 and 207 for 6
wickets (decl.).
Hants: 150 and 264 for 4 wic-
kets.

F. J. Seabrook made 107 in
Gloucester's first innings. Hamp-
shire collapsed in reply, and the
whole side was dismissed for
150; 218 runs in arrears.

Gloucester chose to bat again,
increasing their advantage to
425.

Hampshire were content to hold
their end up and to play out time.
Mead scored 117 and was unde-
fended.

LEICESTER SURPRISED.

Strong Effort by Northants.

Leicester gained first innings
points against Northamptonshire,
at Northampton, but were surpris-
ed by the soundness of the home
side's second innings display.

The scores were:
Northants: 102 and 300.
Leicester: 286.

At the close of Northants second
innings, Leicester needed only 117
runs to win, but rain prevented
further cricket.

WEST INDIES DRAW.

Captain Makes a Century.

R. K. Nunes, the West Indies
captain, made a capital century
against Glamorgan and was unde-
fended at the close of their first
innings. The match was drawn,
the scores being:

West Indies: 327 and 164.
Glamorgan: 256 and 100 for 3
wickets.

Nunes scored 127 (not out) in
the West Indies first innings and
Ryan took 7 wickets for 62 runs
in their second.

J. A. Small took 5 wickets for
62 runs in Glamorgan's first in-
nings.—*Reuter.*

At the annual galling matches at
Weymouth, Cambridge University
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INTERPORT BOWLS.

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against Shanghai next month, met
last evening and chose the following
from the names submitted by the
various clubs:

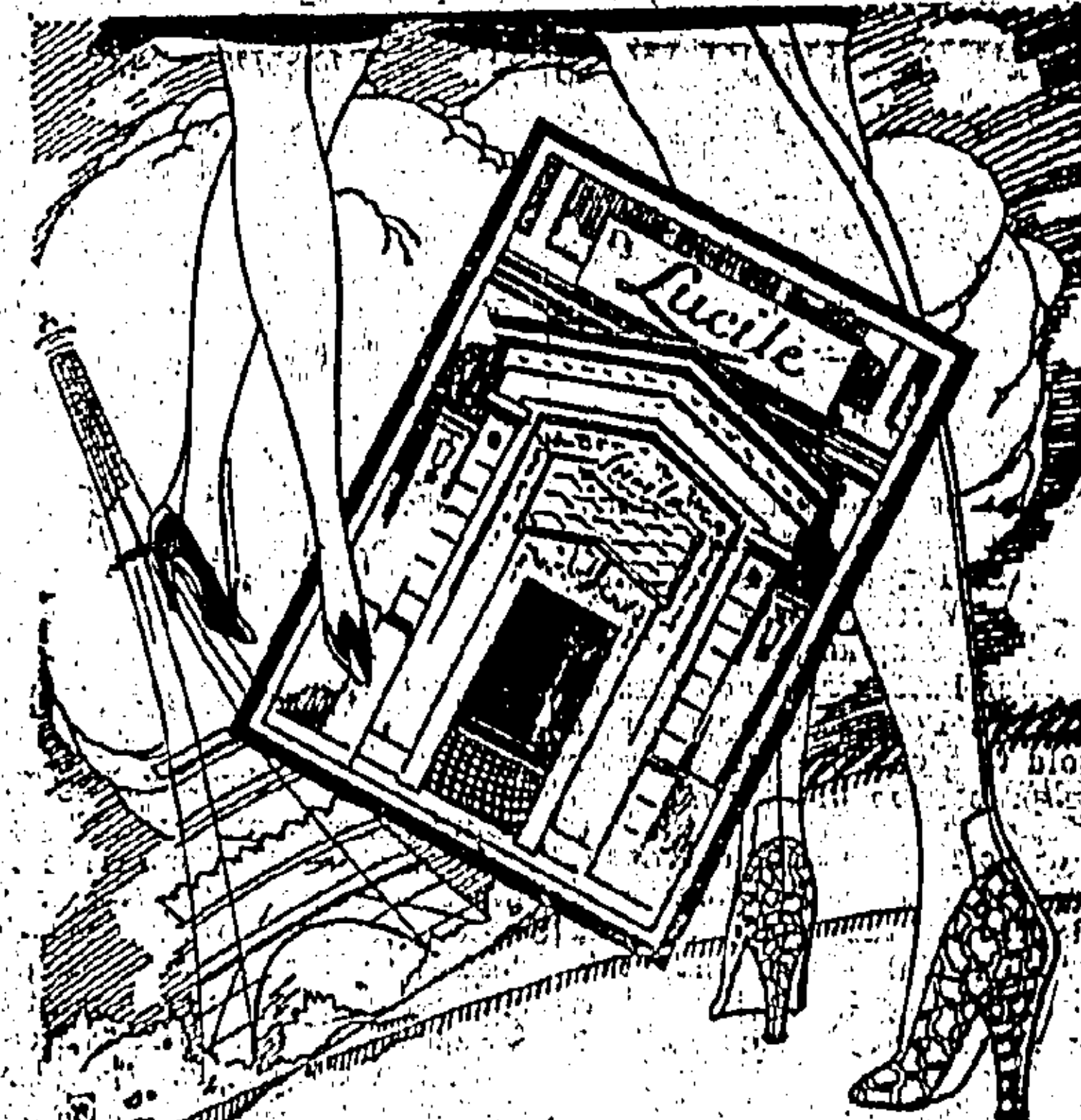
A. M. Holland (Capt.)
J. C. Brown.
A. Chapman.
A. W. Grimmett.
J. Laing.
W. Maier.

Reserve: W. Macfarlane.
The team is not as strong as some
that have gone to Shanghai before,
but nevertheless is a useful combina-
tion. Of the seven players, including
the reserve, no less than five of them
are ships.

The feature of yesterday's matches
in the annual Hong Kong Bowls tour-
nament was the defeat of the holders,
W. B. Cornaby and A. Pierce who met
A. D. Humphreys and R. K. Valentine.
Both pairs were owe 15. The winners
qualified to enter the semi-finals, by
conceding only five games. There are
now three pairs in the semi-finals.

The full results were:
Lieut. Col. Wyatt and Rev. Alexander
beat C. L. Sandes and H. Groves
6-2, 6-3; A. D. Humphreys and R. K.
Valentine beat W. B. Cornaby and A.
Pierce 6-4, 6-1; D. D. Fiddes Wilson
and R. Gordon beat C. Blaker and G.
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EMPEROR OF CANADA	Oct. 3	Oct. 6	Oct. 9	Oct. 11	Oct. 20
EMPEROR OF RUSSIA	Oct. 24	Oct. 27	Oct. 30	Nov. 1	Nov. 10
EMPEROR OF ASIA	Nov. 7	Nov. 10	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 24
EMPEROR OF CANADA	Nov. 28	Dec. 1	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Dec. 15
EMPEROR OF RUSSIA	Dec. 12	Dec. 15	Dec. 18	Dec. 20	Dec. 29
EMPEROR OF ASIA	Jan. 10	Jan. 13	Jan. 16	Jan. 18	Jan. 27
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SPHINX	23rd Oct.	PAUL LEGAT	23rd Oct.
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HAYNES' MOTOR CAR.

NEW OWNER SUMMONED.

Motor car No. 234, an Austin Seven, which was formerly the property of L. E. Haynes, was involved in another case yesterday afternoon, when a summons against Wong Hing for dangerous driving in Nathan Road at 12.20 p.m. on July 19 was mentioned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy.

Chief Inspector C. Aris appeared as the complainant. When the case was called it was stated that the summons had not been served as the defendant could not be found at the Kowloon Hotel, which was the address given.

On noticing the number of the car, his Worship remarked that this was not the first time that it had been involved in a case of dangerous driving.

Chief Inspector Aris replied that he had not seen the car being driven dangerously before.

His Worship: You were not complainant in the other case? C. I. Aris: No, your Worship. Sub-Inspector Nicols, answering a question put by his Worship, said that he had not seen the car since Haynes' departure from the Colony.

His Worship remarked that July 19, the day of the alleged offence, was apparently the last time that Haynes was seen in Hongkong.

C. I. Aris told his Worship that the car, which was being driven by Wong Hing in Nathan Road on July 19, passed his own vehicle in a dangerous manner. The Inspector accelerated in an endeavour to overtake the car but found on reaching a speed of 35 miles per hour that it would be dangerous to continue chasing the other car and slowed down. Later car No. 234 was found at the Star Ferry.

According to C. I. Aris motor car 234 must have been travelling between 40 and 45 miles an hour. On the suggestion of the complainant, his Worship adjourned the case sine die.

No Lights.

A fine of \$5 was imposed on Mr. E. G. Allard who was charged before his Worship with failing to provide his car with efficient lights in Salisbury Road at 10.45 p.m. on July 24. The defendant pleaded guilty.

It was stated by Sergeant Scrim that the trouble seemed to have arisen over a faulty connexion. The defendant had, however, been warned the previous night to have the lights attended to.

Cyclists Fined.

Mr. B. Assumpcao was charged with failing to keep as close to his left hand side of the road as possible when rounding the corner at Hankow Road and Salisbury Road.

The defendant, who was travelling towards Salisbury Road along Hankow Road, said that on reaching the corner he noticed a car being driven fast along Salisbury Road. To prevent a collision he turned into Salisbury Road and passed the car on his right.

Sub-Inspector Nicols remarked that the defendant took the corner from the west of Hankow Road.

A fine of \$4 was imposed. A charge of failing to have full control of a bicycle by not holding the handle bars, was preferred against George White, of No. 589, Nathan Road. The defendant pleaded guilty and was fined \$2.

GRAND TATTOO.

TO TAKE PEACE AT SOOKUNPOO.

CHANGE OF DATES.

In connexion with the coming Grand Tattoo which was to have been held at Happy Valley it has been found that the construction of the new drainage nullah at Happy Valley has caused more temporary dislocation of the Jockey Club premises than the Stewards had anticipated when they kindly consented to lend their buildings and grounds for the Tattoo.

It has been decided, after consultation between the Tattoo General Committee and the Stewards of the Jockey Club, that the labour and expense of reconditioning the premises specially for the Tattoo would not be justified if there is any alternative venue available.

Fortunately such a venue is available at Sookunpoo which has been placed at the disposal of the Tattoo Committee by H. E. the General Officer Commanding.

A Change of Venue.

Sookunpoo was originally suggested by the military authorities as the ideal place for the Tattoo because of the manner in which the surroundings lend themselves to scenic effects but it was rejected on account of the lighting difficulties which were thought to be insuperable.

Happily, these difficulties have now been overcome and so Sookunpoo will be the venue of the Tattoo.

The arrangements in connexion with the change to Sookunpoo will necessarily cause some delay and it has therefore been decided to fix Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 4, 5 and 6 as the revised dates for the Tattoo.

October is preferable to September on account of the cooler weather and less likelihood of typhoons. So long as the venue for the Tattoo remained at Happy Valley, October was ruled out by reason of the extra race meetings which recommenced on October 6. These reasons, however, do not apply to Sookunpoo and therefore the postponement to October 4, 5 and 6 will probably meet with general approval.

At a meeting of the Working Committee last night Mr. W. L. Pattenden was elected vice-chairman to succeed Mr. R. Sutherland who left by the Empress liner this morning for Canada.

The Committee last night placed on record its thanks to Mr. Sutherland for his extremely hard work in connexion with the Tattoo, done during the time when he was in ill-health.

The original programme of the Tattoo has been revised and greatly improved. It will now conclude with a very spectacular scene for which Edinburgh Castle will provide the setting. The following is the suggested revised programme.

The Programme.

- (1) Arrival of H. E. Massed Bands and Drums.
- (2) "Gathering of the Clans" being an ancient Scottish scene. (K.O.S.B. and local Societies).
- (3) Khattack Dance, (Punjabis), (One Night).
- (4) Maypole Dance, (Miss O'Keefe's Pupils), (One Night).
- (5) Highland Dancing, (Reel Club) (one night).
- (6) Torchlight Display by 1/ Queen's R. Regt. H.K.V.D.C. (Motor M. Gns.) St. John Amb.
- (7) Portuguese Display, (First night).
- (8) Chinese Display, (Second Night).
- (9) Illuminated Motor Car Parade, (Third Night).
- (10) Naval Display, (Last night).
- (11) Scene representing "Entry of Lowlanders and English troops into Edinburgh Castle after Killcrankie, 1689." (K.O.S.B., Queen's and local Societies).
- (12) "Band of Hope and Glory." "Abide With Me." "God Save the King."

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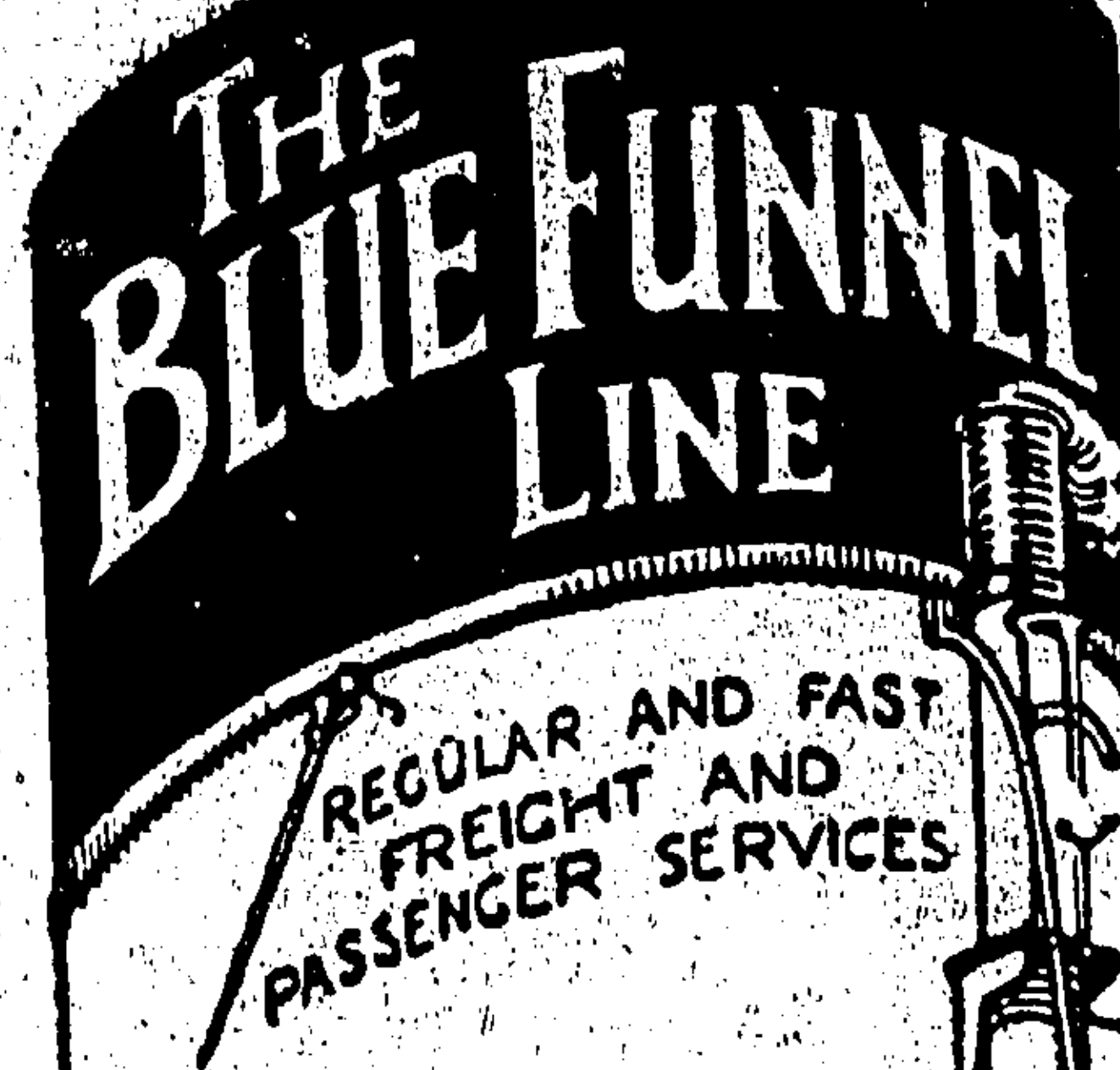
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COOLIE'S DEATH.

FATAL FALL FROM TRUCK IN ARSENAL STREET.

An enquiry was held before Major C. Willson, yesterday afternoon, regarding the death of a coolie who fell off a truck at Arsenal Street, with fatal results. The mishap occurred on July 20, the victim, whose skull was broken at the base, expiring at the Government Civil Hospital two days afterwards without recovering consciousness.

From the evidence, it was shown that the truck was proceeding along the Praya East, returning to West Point with its chassis piled high with a number of cases containing Ma Yuk Sap confectionery. One of a number of coolies who were perched on the top of the load, was jerked off his seat when the truck rounded the bend at Arsenal Street, and was fatally injured through dropping on his head. The enquiry was to determine the speed at which the lorry was going, and to ascertain if the driver was to be blamed for the accident in any way.

In evidence, the driver stated he was not proceeding more than 12 miles an hour, which speed was considerably reduced when he negotiated the bend in question. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death, with the recommendation that high loads placed on these vehicles be roped in or otherwise well secured.

U.S. PRESIDENCY.

MR. COOLIDGE FORECASTS HOOVER'S ELECTION.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 7.

Temporarily abandoning his traditional avoidance of prophecy President Coolidge told a friend that he considered that it was almost certain that Mr. Hoover would be elected President in November. He added that he intended personally to actively participate in the campaign on Mr. Hoover's behalf.

The President spent the day poring over the preliminary budget estimates for 1930, when a \$3,700,000,000 budget is forecast including \$469,000,000 for national defence as compared with \$362,000,000 for the current year. —Reuter's American Service.

S.S. KALYAN AFIRE.

CONFLAGATION IN NO. THREE HOLD.

Shanghai, Aug. 7.

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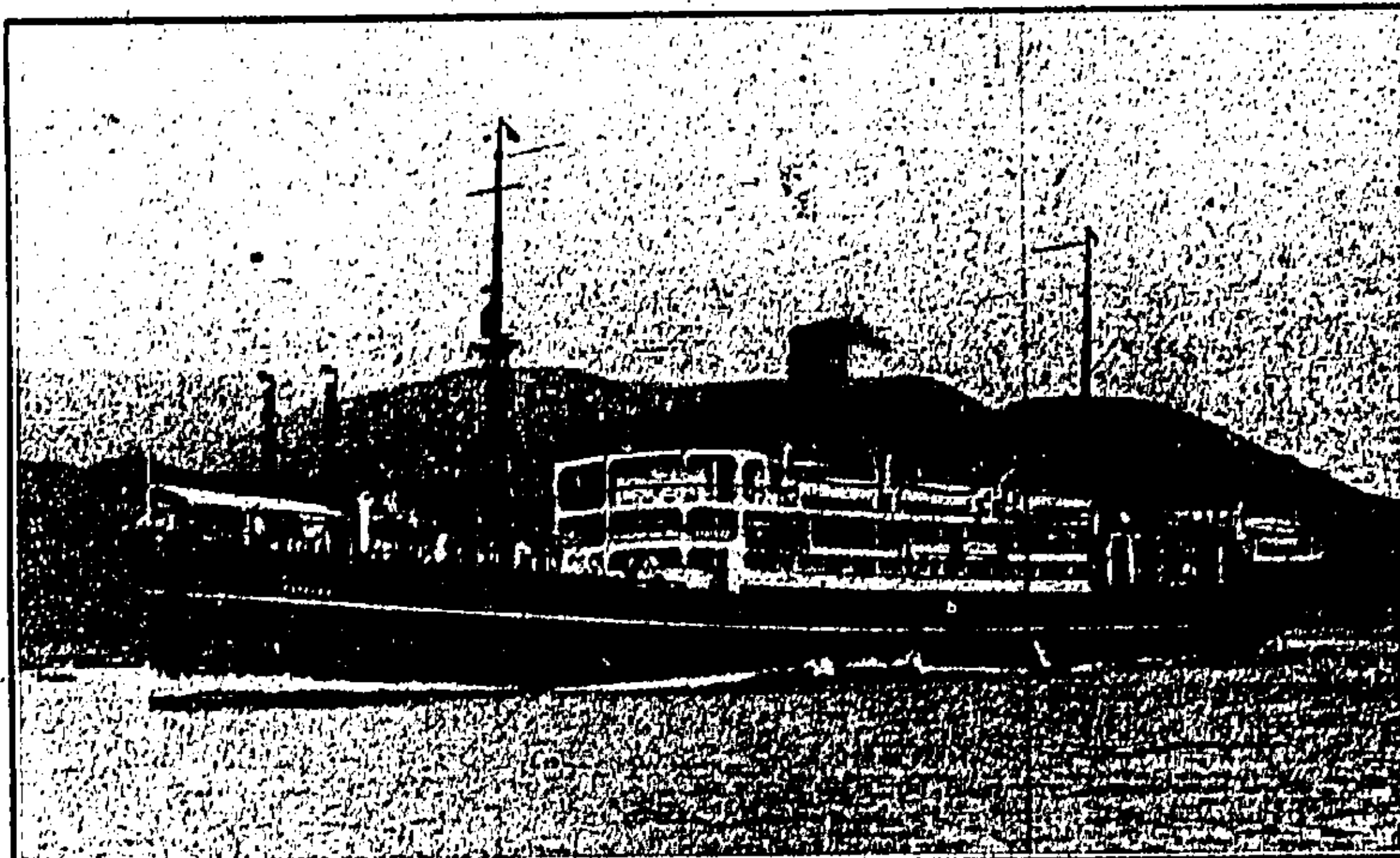
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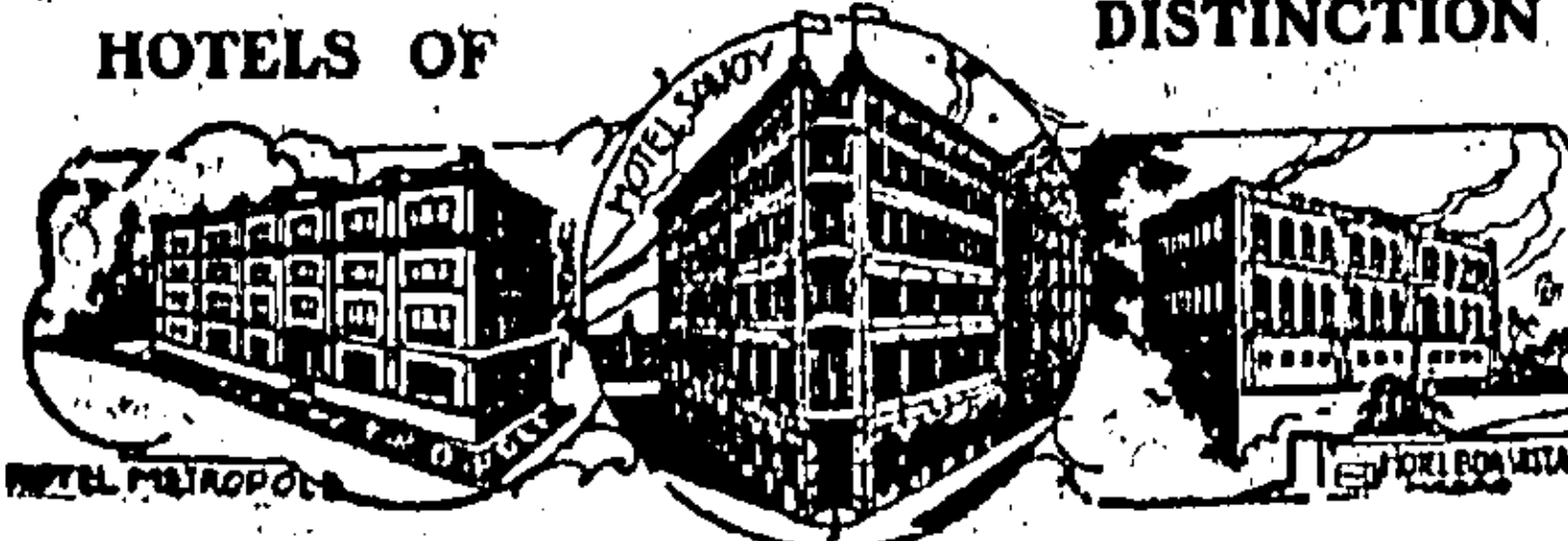
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EARLY MORNING CHASE.

EUROPEAN, SERGEANT'S
CAPTURE.

TWO TAKE UP PURSUIT.

After a long chase, by two police officers, acting in ignorance of each other's presence, an unemployed Chinese who was seen climbing a water pipe to the first floor of a house in Reclamation Street in the early hours this morning was arrested by Sergeant Williamson. On investigation of the man's record it was found that he had returned to the Colony from banishment.

On being brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of disobeying a banishment order dated 1926, requiring his absence from the Colony for a period of ten years, the man pleaded guilty.

Inspector Marks prosecuting, said that whilst on duty at about 5 o'clock this morning, Sergeant Williamson saw the defendant run into Shanghai Street from Reclamation Street. The officer gave chase and called upon the man to stop but the defendant ignored the challenge. Sergeant Williamson drew his revolver and on seeing the weapon the defendant dashed up the stairs of a house in Shanghai Street.

He was ordered to come down and obeyed. On reaching the street he was promptly seized but he struggled with the officer with the result that one round was discharged accidentally. No one was hurt nor was any damage done.

The defendant was overpowered and it is then that a district watchman arrived on the scene and said that he had been chasing the defendant whom he saw climbing a drain pipe to the first floor of a house in Reclamation Street.

Defendant was sentenced to a term of imprisonment six years ago for being a vagabond and while three years later he received a further sentence for stealing. In 1925 he was banished for a period of ten years.

Sentence of nine months' hard labour and twenty strokes of the birch was imposed.

FRACAS ON U. S. STEAMER.

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board, whilst Jefferson is a fireman.

Police investigations into the affair are still proceeding and this morning, the Captain and other members of the crew were seen in the Detective Office of the Central Police Station. It is probable, if any charge is brought, that the hearing will take place at the Marine Court.

The David C. Reed was formerly the Silverbrook of 3,530 tons net tonnage. She was built in 1919 by the Chester S. B. Co. of Chester, Pa., and has special cylindrical tanks for the carriage of petroleum. She is owned by the United States Shipping Board and is operated by the Columbia Pacific Shipping Company.

On her present trip the vessel carried 4,000 tons of oil from San Pedro to Hongkong, arriving here yesterday morning.

According to a notice at the Harbour Office, the boat has now left the A.P.C. Pier at North Point and gone out to Kowloon Bay.

FENG'S DENIAL.

SAYS HE IS NOT A
COMMUNIST.

Peking, July 16.
In the course of a speech here, Marshal Feng Yu-shiang repudiated the rumour that he and Marshal Chiang Kai-shek were Communists. He declared that although they have been so regarded, they had not "boishevised" the people upon their arrival in Peking. However, he said that it is imperative that the people should have a "red heart and red blood" in saving their nation and their brothers.

The treacherous actions of which he had been accused was refuted by Marshal Feng. He then referred to his coup d'etat in the thirteenth year of the Republic. He said he had arranged with General Sun Yueh, whose troops opened the city gates to admit the Kuomintang and he did so in order to save the people, who were then under a corrupt government.

Berlin, Aug. 7.
A successful trial flight in Travemunde harbour has been made of the world's biggest flying boat "Romax" which weighs fifteen tons. It rose in fifteen seconds and manoeuvred in the air for a quarter of an hour. Two similar machines are being constructed at the Rohrbach Works, to be utilized as passenger planes on the South Atlantic service which is being planned.—Reuter.

PICKETS PARADE MERCHANT.

SHANGHAI DEALER'S
"CRIME."

LED THROUGH STREETS FOR
SELLING JAPANESE GOODS.

EFFECT OF BOYCOTT.

Shanghai Aug. 4.
Accused of disobeying the patriotic injunction to stop dealing in Japanese goods, a Chinese merchant named Chang Lung-sing, owner of a shop in Nantao, was the centre of a remarkable spectacle on Thursday afternoon when, as prisoner of pickets of the anti-Japanese boycott committee, he was paraded through the streets of Nantao and Chapei carrying a poster which declared to all and sundry that he was an unpatriotic merchant who had continued commercial dealings with the "dwarf slaves," the propagandist term for the Japanese.

The man was arrested on Wednesday when pickets visited his shop and seized a quantity of Japanese goods.

It was declared that he had disobeyed the order of the pickets and had continued to sell Japanese goods. Thereupon, he was forcibly seized by the pickets who took him to their headquarters and detained him.

Two-Hour Parade.

On Thursday afternoon, he was paraded through the streets under an escort of pickets, and exhibited to public gaze, while the Chinese police and military in the streets declined to interfere.

He was paraded for about two hours by his captors who shouted out the record of his "crime," and was then taken back to his place of detention, which is stated to be the premises of the City Chamber of Commerce in Chung Wha Road.

Boycott Hits Trade.

Although no official figures have been issued, it is reported that the anti-Japanese boycott is beginning to have a serious effect on Japanese trade in Shanghai and the lower Yangtze, especially in the cotton business. Labourers and boycott committees spent another busy day on Thursday, and among the seizures at shops and wharves were quantities of tin plates, cotton yarn, piece goods, stockings, shirts and gramophone records. While much of the seized goods are being detained in godowns, some of them are reported to be stored at the City Chamber of Commerce.

Japanese commercial interests in Shanghai are greatly apprehensive of the possibilities likely to ensue if the seven interim regulations, devised by the Nationalist Government to apply on the expiration of treaties, are introduced now that Nanking has declared the Sino-Japanese Commercial Treaty.

Mill Owners Are Worried.

According to the Shanghai Mainichi one of the local Japanese newspapers, mill-owners are particularly worried, and they state the future situation, if the regulations are introduced, in the following terms:

In view of the spread of anti-Japanese sentiment as a result of the complications through the treaty and the Tsinanfu incident, radical elements are likely to create labour troubles.

The consumption of manufactured goods will decrease as the anti-Japanese boycott is intensified.

Heavy taxation on goods and cotton mills is likely to be imposed by the Chinese authorities, in accordance with article six of the regulations, because of the Chinese tendency to levy taxes indiscriminately.

Labour unions must be recognized by the mill-owners.

Complications regarding Japanese mills situated outside the Foreign Settlement, but opposite Settlement territory, already very serious, are likely to increase.

The newspaper declares that Japanese mill owners and businessmen are watching the situation very carefully.

TURKISH OIL CO.

AMERICAN INTERESTS NOW
PARTICIPATE.

London, Aug. 7.
It is announced that negotiations have been concluded for the participation of American oil interests in the Turkish Petroleum Company, which has a concession in the Bagdad and Mosul vilayets.

In future, 28.75 per cent. of the shares will each be held by the Anglo-Persian, Royal Dutch, French and American groups, and the remaining 5 per cent. being held by Mr. Gulbenkian.

According to the announcement, the Anglo-Persian Company's interest has been halved.—Reuter.

NEW ANTI-FOREIGN CAMPAIGN.

LYING POSTERS DISPLAYED
IN PEKING.

ALL NATIONS BLAMED.

Peking, July 23.
Violent anti-foreign posters, showing by pictures and cartoons China's domination by the avaricious and rapacious foreigners, have appeared suddenly in all public places in Peking. Incidents for several years, in which foreigners are alleged to have massacred helpless Chinese, are depicted graphically from the Kuomintang point of view.

Americans, Britons, Frenchmen and Japanese all come in for their share of blame for China's present woes. In these posters, which are pasted on the walls of imperial palaces, on the lovely porcelain plaques in the old Manchurian pleasure-gardens, and in the public parks, obviously by official permission.

One large picture shows several figures representing foreign nations, with the American particularly evident by his horn-rimmed glasses, riding in a crude cart which is going over recumbent Chinese lying under its wheels.

Another shows British and French soldiers ruthlessly shooting down Chinese men, women and children—the Chinese conception of the Shantung Incident in 1920. Another shows a great fat man, labelled "the Foreign Imperialist," astride a fence, with a Kuomintang soldier advancing bravely with a drawn bayonet to finish him.

The Japanese come in for more than their share of the posters, with pictures of alleged atrocities in Shantung, Japanese soldiers bayonetting Chinese women, and one shows a large Japanese on wooden clogs dragging after him a cur dog labelled Chang Tso-lin. Posters crying "Down with the unequal treaties" have appeared everywhere.—United Press.

PRINCE VISITS THE BATTLEFIELDS.

FRENCH POPULACE GIVES HIM
ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME.

BIG SERVICE TO-DAY.

London, Aug. 7.
H. R. H. the Prince of Wales landed in France to-day to visit the battlefields of the Great War in association with the 11,000 pilgrims who had already arrived from England.

Arriving at Boulogne, H. R. H. was received at the quayside by Major Horton, the Mayor and a body of local British Legionnaires. He was greeted with loud cheering, which he smilingly acknowledged.

After lunching simply at the Station refreshment buffet with General Trotter, he proceeded by motor-car to St. Omer, the British General Headquarters, and Bethune.

At Bethune, His Royal Highness was again welcomed with the greatest enthusiasm, not only by the pilgrims but by the local population. In the Market Square, Admiral of the Fleet Lord Jellicoe, President of the British Legion, received the Prince on a dais which, bedecked with British and French flags, had been erected in front of the famous belfry of Bethune.

As the Prince reached the square, he was received with a fanfare of trumpets. His Royal Highness thanked the Reception Committee of the Departments of Somme and Pas de Calais for the arrangements which they had made for the reception of the British pilgrims.

The Prince then went on to Lille, where he will stay for the night. He proceeds to-morrow to Ypres to attend the great memorial service at Menin Gate.—British Wireless.

INDIAN GOVERNMENT LOAN.

MANY APPLICATIONS
RECEIVED.

Bombay, Aug. 7.
Subscriptions to the Government of India Loan opened to-day and will close on the 18th instant.

The Loan and bond issue, redeemable in 1934, total Rs. 350,000,000, both being at 4½ per cent. The Loan is issued at 101 and the bonds at 97½. Applications received amount to approximately Rs. 220,000,000.—Reuter.

FLOODS IN SIBERIA.

Moscow, Aug. 7.
Fresh floods have occurred in various parts of Siberia, as a result of the cyclone from Japan.—Reuter.

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